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LUTHER LEAUGE IS ORGANIZED AT TINLEY PARK

The young folks of the Zion Lutheran church of Tinley Park met last Thursday and organized a Luther League with thirty-six members. There will be two meetings monthly. A business and social meeting will be held the first Thursday in the month, and a devotional meeting the third Sunday in the month. A constitution was adopted and the following officers were chosen:

George Stueckman, president.
Clarence Goessel, vice-president.
Irma Buddenhagen, secretary.
Emily Funk, treasurer.

The following were appointed to constitute the entertainment committee:

Walter Bruening, Agnes Hartwig, Clara Keheres.

The next meeting will be held November 7th, at the parsonage.

**\$1.80 per 100 Lbs.,
Is Nov. Milk Price**

After careful consideration of the present situation, the Executive Committee of the Marketing Company announces that the price of fluid milk for the month of November will be \$1.80 per hundred pounds for 3.5 milk, delivered to the country receiving plants; this price subject to the 4c a point differential for each one-tenth of a point variation in water content.

Condensed price, \$2.00 per hundred pounds for 4 per cent milk on direct ratio. Can milk (8 gallons) f.o.b. Chicago, arrived at by the usual formula, based on the hundred pound price.

The spread for October, 10 per cent of the gross value of milk at Marketing Company price.

SHOE REPAIRING

If your shoes need repairing, leave them at the former Fred Leppa Shoe Shop or R. E. Stephen store in Frankfort, Quick service; low price Agencies For

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Mrs. Speaker, Well Known Marley Resi- dent Passes Away

Mrs. Sophia Speaker died in her home in Marley Tuesday, October 28th. She was born in Mecklenburg, Germany, February 12, 1846, making her 74 years of age. She settled in Lockport when coming to this country, later moving to Hadley, and in later years to Marley. She leaves to mourn her loss seven children, John Warning, Chas. and Henry Speaker, of Chicago; Mrs. Fred Hiller, of Joliet; Mrs. Joseph Kinney and Mrs. Chas. Cutler, of Marley; a brother, Fred Koppelman, of Iowa, and a sister, Minnie Speaker, of Lockport; thirty-one grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held Thursday, October 27th, at the Marley church, with Rev. Rust and Rev. Wm. Kreis, of Mokena, officiating. Mrs. Agnes Doig, Mrs. Fred Laffer, Frank Savage and James Bell sang "Going Down the Valley" and "Rock of Ages." The sons and sons-in-laws were pall-bearers. Burial was in Hadley cemetery.

MRS. MINGER, MOKENA PIONEER ANSWERS CALL

Mrs. Elizabeth Munger, nee Yunker, well known Mokena resident, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Mau, Sunday morning, at 6:50 o'clock, aged 78 years. She had been ill for some time with dropsy.

She was born December 11th, 1842, in Canton Bern, Amt. Arrberg, Rappersville, Zimlichberg, Switzerland.

She left Switzerland with her parents, brothers and sisters for America September 15th, 1857, the ship being on the Atlantic fifty-one days before they arrived at New York. They were eight days traveling from New York to Wilmington, Ills.

On January 15th, 1861, she was united in marriage to Christian Munger, who also came from Switzerland.

She leaves to mourn her loss four children—Mrs. Mary Mau, Mokena; John Munger, Peotone; Henry Munger, Manhattan. Mrs. Emma E. Mau, Mokena; and a brother, Nic Yunker, Peotone. One child, Fred Munger, of Chicago, is dead.

They came to Mokena in 1868, and then moved to Castorville, Stoddard county, Mo., in 1869. There Christian Munger died April 15th, 1870. Mrs. Munger came back to Mokena the same year and resided here until her death.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from the late home, at 1 p. m., to St. John's Evangelical church. Burial in St. John's cemetery.

FRANKFORT

The newly concreted Lincoln highway is witnessing all kinds of auto mishaps. Saturday a machine ventured out without chains, and the road being wet, the car skidded and overturned in the ditch near the Daniel Hunter farm, but luckily no one was injured. Mr. Hunter reports that some harness and a neck yoke have been stolen from his farm.

The confetti dance which the Frankfort baseball team had planned for Saturday night, at Borman grove, had to be called off on account of bad weather. The dance will be given Saturday evening, November 5th. In case of rain, it will be held indoors.

WABASH MAY EXTEND SUB. LINE TO MANHATTAN

The Wabash railroad has plans under way, it is said, for straightening the right-of-way from Orland to Marley, and by doing so Alpine would be eliminated entirely, as well as the sharp curves between Orland and Marley. As proposed now, the new roadbed would run thru the Frank Sayers farm. It is also understood that the Wabash is contemplating operating suburban trains between Chicago and Manhattan, thus doing away with Orland as the terminal for suburban traffic, as it now exists. This would also likely mean the abolishing of the Orland roundhouse. The proposed improvement will not go into effect for another year or two, it is said.

"Give Me a Chance To Think!"

All right.

That chance will be during the week of November 7th to 12th.

During that week take a little time and go over in your mind the many things your home town paper has done—is doing—will continue to do—for your home town.

Think about it seriously.

Think whether or not you have stood loyally by at all times when the community's champion has needed financial and moral support.

Think whether or not you have always done your duty by the town's best friend.

Think how much better your home town paper could do if each citizen were as loyal to it as it is to them.

Think of some one far away who would enjoy the weekly visit from the old home town paper, then hand in a subscription for that far-away friend.

If you are not now a subscriber, be one.

**"Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week,"
November 7-12**

HOME TOWN PAPER WEEK

Nation-Wide Movement Set for November 7th to 12th.

Every Four Corners has its Home Town week nowadays, but all the boys and girls who have wandered from the Township Center cannot get back to enjoy the loved surroundings. But all can subscribe to the old home town paper and thus keep well in touch with the little spot they once called home.

What joy to run over the school promotions and find that the tots of a few years ago are moving higher and higher in scholastic circles and eventually blossom forth as the "sweet girl graduates," or the clean strong boys discarding knickers.

Just watch that hardened old city coddler open up his home paper—it is the first thing he picks up out of his bunch of mail—and what can he find there to interest him? Angus McGugan's horse died yesterday; Peter McGregor will run for the county clerkship; Horace Jell hopes to win the secretaryship of the Hilltown Agricultural Society; Lydia Munger has opened a millinery store; Mrs. Brown lost her hand satchel in the butcher; Dr. Dorland is attending Clara Brown, who is down with a severe cold; Mrs. Plater broke her ankle and is in the county hospital.

Yet though he smiles at the old-time styles and expressions he enjoys it all over and over again, for it takes his mind back home where his wonderful boyhood days—happy days—were spent.

WILL BOOST HOME PAPERS

Week of November 7-12 Set for Nation-Wide Endeavor.

"Subscribe to your home town paper."

This is the slogan of a new nation-wide movement backed by the National Editorial Association and other agencies.

The movement has back of it far more than a selfish desire on the part of newspapers to acquire increased circulation, for it is, in effect, a step toward the perfect unification of America by the strengthening of ties that bind everyone to his native soil.

The campaign is, moreover, an excellent opportunity to boost the home town. The men and women who were born and reared here have, some of them, been away for many years and many important changes have taken place—changes in which they would be greatly interested. It is more often the case than not that private correspondence overlooks these changes, however carefully one might attempt to write "the news" in a letter.

The newspaper, on the other hand, prints all the items of interest, large and small, and is the ideal medium through which to keep in touch with in the old home town.

Towns Need Eye Opener.

Said a New York state business man the other day: "There is hardly a town in the country that does not need to have its eyes opened to the kind of work its newspapers do, week in and week out, and year in and year out, with rarely if ever a word of public appreciation and backing."

Halloween Dance At New Lenox Big Affair

One of the prettiest Halloween affairs ever held in New Lenox was held at the Elysium, the popular New Lenox dance hall, Saturday night. The interior of the hall was beautifully decorated with autumn leaves and flowers, jack-a-lanterns, witches, etc. The stage had a unique decoration by way of a huge spider web, back of which was the orchestra. Back of the web was a big caldron suspended from a tripod of sticks. Underneath the caldron were fagots, and red crape paper, wrapped about an electric light bulb, gave the appearance of a fire under the huge kettle.

Pumpkin pie of the home-made variety was served. A very large, orderly crowd attended the affair. Music by Sweet's orchestra. This popular hall is enjoying a record of giving good, clean dances, and having clean crowds. All of the dances are well patronized, and especially by a good, clean element. The hall has been rented out for several nights during the month of November. Some of the Joliet clubs and others are going to direct dances.

Hunter; no license; fine

Farmers of this section are opposed to hunting on their premises unless permission is first asked. Last Sunday three hunters with hounds were seen by Albert Strassenberg going along the highway in the direction of his farm. He called on Deputy J. J. Grogan to watch these hunters and to arrest them. Deputy Grogan drove to the farm in his car and found the three hunters in Mr. Strassenberg's field. He placed them under arrest for trespassing and brot them to Mokena. One of the hunters was without a hunting license. He waxed quite indignant when brought before Justice Schultz and drew a fine of \$25.00 and costs, while the other two were released. The hunters were from Joliet. Mr. Strassenberg and the farmers in this section say they will not tolerate any hunting on their premises unless they are first asked for their permission to do so. Anyone wishing to hunt should always do two things: Have a hunting license and get the consent of the farmer on whose farm he wishes to hunt.

Word comes that E. G. Tonn is teaching school at Granger, Texas.

A dance will be held at the Hatch hall on Saturday evening of this week.

WILL MOKENA SHARE THE FATE OF GROSS POINT?

The city dads of the village of Mokena are up against a big proposition. With a very small revenue coming in and heavy expenses being encountered every month, the village finds itself without funds, and also up against the fact that they cannot borrow enough money to pay the indebtedness. From present indications it appears that the only salvation is to bond the village for \$1500.00. There already is an indebtedness of \$5,000 on the village now. If the additional bond issue is voted down, it will mean that the village will be in about the same fix as Gross Point was.

The village has had to repair the streets this fall, and the expense has come to \$2,000.00. At the meeting Wednesday night (Oct. 26), it was found that the village finances would not permit meeting the payment of this sum, so after a lawyer was consulted, it was thought that tax warrants will be issued, same to be drawn against next year's taxes in payment of debts. After the money appropriated for paying off some of the bonds coming due next Spring, interest on the bonded indebtedness and oiling of the streets, the sum of about \$2,000 will be available, but this amount has already been spent for repairing the streets. The question arises, where will the money come from to pay the policeman, the electric street lights, power, etc.? Even if a bond issue of \$1500 is floated, it will only be a drop in the bucket, and the village will still be in debt. If no other means of revenue can be devised than that now in effect, the village will remain in debt indefinitely. The fact that the village is so heavily encumbered is not the fault of the Board of Trustees, but is due to the lack of revenue. The taxes alone are inadequate to meet the heavy running expenses.

Do you want a job?

There is a new job open. For years the agent and his helper at the local Rock Island depot have handled the mail from the post-office to the trains, but from now on this work will not be performed by them, as they have never received any extra pay for this service, and in addition they would be working overtime and against the rules of the union. As a result of this situation, the Third Assistant Postmaster General has sent a notice to the local postoffice asking for sealed bids for performing this service. Bids must be for yearly contract. Whoever takes the job will be paid monthly. Six mails a day will have to be handled, in addition to hanging mail pouches on mail cranes twice daily. Applicants must not be under 16 years of age. The notice was posted Thursday (Oct. 27), and bids must be in within ten days from posting of notice, which would make the time limit expire on Sunday. Anyone wishing to put in a sealed bid can get all the information necessary from the local postoffice.

Mrs. Harry Peterson underwent an operation at the St. Joseph hospital, Joliet, Friday morning. She is doing nicely.

Mrs. August Pfeleger is at the St. Joseph hospital, Joliet, taking treatment.

Mrs. Harry Mall, who has been suffering attacks of gall stones, was taken to the St. Francis hospital, Blue Island, in the hospital ambulance, Friday.

The bazaar and chicken supper held at the Immanuel Lutheran church parlors, Thursday afternoon and evening, was very largely attended, and a tidy sum was cleared for the church.

Remember the News-Bulletin Confetti dance, to be held at Saenger hall, Tinley Park, Saturday night, Nov. 12th.

300 HEIRS. SIGN OFF TITLE ORLAND PARK SCHOOL SITE

The Directors of District 135 have received word that settlement will be made at once for the new school site. It has been a difficult task to get clear title to the property, as there are some three hundred heirs in this country and in England. The Board deserves great praise for their efforts in getting these two acres of Orland Park's choicest land for the sum of \$1,248.75. Our new school is thus assured one of the prettiest school sites in the State, and will help Orland Park earn the honor of having one of the two SUPERIOR schools in Cook county.

The contract has been let for the concreting of Kean avenue, from 123rd to 147th street. This long waited for news will be welcomed by everybody. It is the first paving to be done in Orland, but we hope to have more in the near future.

The street walk from the depot to Loeb Bros. has been concreted. The village obtained two cars of cinders from the railroad with which to repair the roads. The bridge under the Wabash is to be enlarged so as to provide a double roadway. The railroads have promised the village a steel structure when the track is straightened.

A community meeting was held at the schoolhouse Tuesday evening (Oct. 25), at which there were discussed plans for the financing of the new school. President Wheeler explained the situation to date, and ended his plea by saying, "As a man is known by the company he keeps, likewise is a town, and the citizens thereof, by the building it erects." He pointed out that an investment in school bonds was not only a first-class financial investment, but also an investment in the community itself. Mr. E. Pronger, Treasurer of Worth township, gave a brief outline of the difficulties of the Blue Island schools and how they were met. A committee was chosen to canvass the town and get pledges of those wishing to invest their money next Spring when the bonds are issued. The evening was ended with a luncheon.

The people of Orland are going in for better education, and are making plans for the building of a new high school, which will be a credit to the community. On Saturday, November 12th, an election will be held for the purpose of having the taxpayers vote for or against the proposition of issuing \$7500 in bonds for a new school in District 135. The bonds are to mature on the first of January of each of the following years in the amounts of \$1,000: 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, and \$1500 in 1930.

The bazaar which was held by the Lutheran church last week was very well attended. A good sum of money was cleared for the church.

The Orland Park Club held a Halloween party at the Orland M. W. A. hall Monday night. Everything was in keeping with the season, and everyone had a good time.

Orland is in need of a new hall. The present hall has been in use for many years and is in need of extensive repairs. Some of the business people feel that the next move which would benefit the town would be the forming of a company and the building of a new hall. If Orland had a new hall, many more community affairs and dances could be held.

FOR SALE

One Wall Tent, 9 1/2 x 12 feet, 10-oz. duck. Also one sheepskin lined ulsterette, with lambskin collar; moleskin cloth on outside. Both reasonably priced.

HENRY J. C. HICK, Tinley Park.

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A Story of the Builders of Democracy

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IRVING BACHELLER

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CHAPTER XII.

Which Continues the Romance of Abe and Ann Until the Former Leaves New Salem to Begin His Work in the Legislature. Also It Describes the Colonizing of Peter Lukins.

The next day after his return, Abe received a letter from Ann. She had come over to the store on the arrival of the stage and taken her letter and run home with it. That Saturday's stage brought the new suit of clothes from Springfield.

It was an Indian summer day of the first week in November. That afternoon Abe went to the tavern and asked Ann to walk out to the Traylor's with him. She seemed to be glad to go. She was not the cheerful, quick-footed, rosy-cheeked Ann of old. Her face was pale, her eyes dull and listless, her step slow. Neither spoke until they had passed the Waddell cabin and were come to the open fields.

"I hope your letter brought good news," said Abe.

"It was very short," Ann answered. "He took a fever in Ohio and was sick there four weeks and then he went home. In two months he never wrote a word to me. And this one was only a little bit of a letter with no love in it. I don't believe he cares for me now or, perhaps, he is married. I don't know. I'm not going to cry about it any more. I can't. I've no more tears to shed. I've given him up."

"Then I reckon the time has come for me to tell you what is on my heart," said Abe. "I love you, Ann. I have loved you for years. I would have told you long ago but I could not make myself believe that I was good enough for you. I love you so much that if you can only be happy with John McNamar I will pray to God that he may turn out to be a good and faithful man and come back and keep his promise."

She looked up at him with a kind of awe in her face.

"Oh, Abe!" she whispered. "I had made up my mind that men were all bad but my father, I was wrong. I did not think of you."

"Men are mostly good," said Abe. "But it's very easy to misunderstand them. In my view it's quite likely that John McNamar is better than you think him. I want you to be fair to John. If you conclude that you can not be happy with him give me a chance. I would do my best to bring back the joy of the old days. Sometimes I think that I am going to do something worth while. Sometimes I think that I can see my way far ahead and it looks very pleasant, and you, Ann, are always walking beside me in it. Before we take another step I wish you could give me some hope to live on—just a little straw of hope."

"You are a wonderful man, Abe," said Ann, touched by his appeal. "My father says that you are going to be a great man."

"I can not hold out any such hope to you," Abe answered. "I'm rather ignorant and badly in debt, but I reckon that I can make a good living and give you a comfortable home. Don't you think, taking me just as I am, you could care for me a little?"

"Yes; sometimes I think that I could love you, Abe," she answered. "I do not love you yet, but I may—some time. I really want to love you."

"That is all I can ask now," said Abe as they went on. "Do you hear from him?"

"I have not heard from her since June."

"I wish you would write to her and tell her that I am thinking of going down to St. Louis and that I would like to go and see her."

"I'll write to her tomorrow," said Ann.

They had a pleasant visit and while Ann was playing with the baby she seemed to have forgotten her troubles. They stayed to supper, after which the whole family walked to the tavern with them. When Ann began to show weariness, Abe gently lifted her in his arms and carried her.

That evening Mrs. Peter Lukins called upon Abe at Sam Hill's store where he sat alone, before the fire, reading with two candles burning on the end of a dry goods box at his elbow.

"I wanted to see you private 'bout Lukins," she began. "There's them that call him Bony Lukins, but I reckon he ain't no bonier than the everidge run o' men—not a bit—an, if he was, I don't reckon his bones orto be throwed at him every time he's spoke to that away."

"What can I do about it?" Abe asked.

"I've been hopin' an' wishin' some kind of a decent handle could be put on to his name," said Mrs. Lukins, with her eye upon a knot hole in the counter. "Something with a good sound to it. You said that anything you could do for the New Salem folks was goin' to do an' I thought maybe you could fix it."

Abe smiled and asked: "Do you want a title?"

"If it ain't plum owdacious I wisht

he could be made a colonel."

"I'll see what can be done, but if he gets that title he'll have to live up to it."

"I'll make him walk a chalk line—you see," the good woman promised as she left the store.

That evening Abe wrote a playful commission as colonel for Peter Lukins, which was signed in due time by all his friends and neighbors and presented to Lukins by a committee of which Abe was chairman.

Coleman Smoot—a man of some means who had a farm on the road to Springfield—was in the village that evening. Abe showed him the commission and asked him to sign it.

"I'll sign on one condition," said Smoot.

"What is that?" Abe asked.

"That you'll give me a commission. I want to be your friend."

"You are that now, aren't you?" Abe asked.

"Yes, but I haven't earned my commission. You haven't given me a chance yet. What can I do to help you along?"

Abe was much impressed by these kindly words.

"My friends do not often ask what they can do for me," he said. "I suppose they haven't thought of it. I'll think it over and let you know."

Three days later he walked out to Coleman Smoot's after supper. As they sat together by the fireside Abe said:

"I've been thinking of your friendly question. It's dangerous to talk that way to a man like me. The fact is, I need two hundred dollars to pay pressing debts and give me something in my pocket when I go to Vandalla. If you can not lend it to me I shall think none the less of you."

"I can and will," said Smoot. "I've been watching you for a long time. A man who tries as hard as you do to get along deserves to be helped. I believe in you. I'll go up to Springfield and get the money and bring it to you within a week or so."

Abe Lincoln had many friends who would have done the like for him if they could, and he knew it.

"Every one has faith in you," said Smoot. "We expect much of you and we ought to be willing to do what we can to help."

"Your faith will be my strength, if I have any," said Abe.

On his way home that night he thought of what Jack Kelso had said of democracy and friendship.

On the twenty-second of November a letter came to Ann from Bim Kelso, which announced that she was going to New Orleans for the winter with her husband. Six days later Abe took the stage for the capital, at Rutledge's door, where all the inhabitants of the village had assembled to bid him good-bye.



The Village Had Assembled to Bid Him Goodby.

by Ann Rutledge, with a flash of her old playfulness, kissed him when he got into the stage. Abe's long arm was waving in the air as he looked back at his cheering friends while the stage rumbled down the road toward the great task of life upon which he was presently to begin in the little village of Vandalla.

CHAPTER XIII.

Wherein the Route of the Underground Railroad Is Surveyed and Samson and Harry Spend a Night in the Home of Henry Brimstead and Hear Surprising Revelations, Confidentially Disclosed.

Early in the autumn of that year the Reverend Elijah Lovejoy of Alton had spent a night with the Traylor's on his way to the North. Sitting by the fireside he had told many a vivid tale of the cruelties of slavery.

"I would not have you think that all slaveholders are wicked and heart-

less," he said. "They are like other men the world over. Some are kind and indulgent. If all men were like them slavery could be tolerated. But they are not. Some men are brutal in the North as well as in the South. If not made so by nature they are made so by drink. To give them the power of life and death over human beings, which they seem to have in parts of the South, is a crime against God and civilization."

"I agree with you," said Samson.

"I knew that you would," the minister went on. "We have already had some help from you but we need more. I take it as a duty which God has laid upon me to help every fugitive that reaches my door. You can help the good work of mercy and grace. If you hear three taps upon your window after dark or the hoot of an owl in your dooryard you will know what it means. Fix some place on your farm where these poor people who are seeking the freedom which God wills for all His children, may find rest and refreshment and security until they have strength to go on."

Within a week after the visit of Mr. Lovejoy, Samson and Harry built a hollow haystack about half-way from the house to the barn. The stack had a comfortable room inside of it about eight feet by seven and some six feet in height. Its entrance was an opening near the bottom of the stack well screened by the pendant hay. But no fugitive came to occupy it that winter.

Soon after the new year of 1835 Samson and Harry moved the Kelso's to Tazewell county. Mr. Kelso had received an appointment as land agent and was to be stationed at the little settlement of Hopedale near the home of John Peasley.

Late in the afternoon Harry and Samson left the Kelso's and their effects at a small frame house in the little village of Hopedale. The men had no sooner begun to unload than its inhabitants came to welcome the newcomers and help them in the work of getting settled. When the goods were deposited in the dooryard Samson and Harry drove to John Peasley's farm. Mr. Peasley recognized the big, broad-shouldered Vermont at the first look.

"Do I remember you?" he said. "Well, I guess I do. So does my barn door. Let me take hold of that right hand of yours again. Yes, sir. It's the same old iron hand. Marry Ann!" he called as his wife came out of the door. "Here's the big man from Vergennes who tossed the purty slaver."

"I see it is," she answered. "Ain't ye comin' in?"

"If you try to pass this place I'll have ye took up," said Peasley. "There's plenty of food in the house an' stable."

"Look here—that's downright selfish," said his wife. "If we tried to keep you here Henry Brimstead would never forgive us. He talks about you morning, noon and night. Any one would think that you was the Samson that slew the Philistines."

"How is Henry?" Samson asked.

"He married my sister and they're about as happy as they can be this side the river Jordan," she went on. "They've got one o' the best farms in Tazewell county and they're goin' to be rich."

"Yes, sir; I didn't think o' that," said Peasley. "Henry and his wife would holler if we didn't take ye over there. It's only a quarter of a mile. I'll show ye the way and we'll all come over this evening and have a talkin' bee."

Samson was pleased and astonished by the look of Brimstead and his home and his family and the account of his success. The man from the sand flats was cleanly shaved, save for a black mustache, and neatly dressed and his face glowed with health and high spirits. A handsome brown-eyed miss of seventeen came galloping up the road on her pony and stopped near them.

"Annabel, do you remember this man?" Brimstead asked.

The girl looked at Samson.

"He is the man who helped us out of Flea valley," said the girl. "Would you mind if I kissed you?"

"I would be sorry if you didn't," said Samson. "Here's my boy, Harry Needles. You wouldn't dare kiss him, I guess."

"I would be sorry, too, if you didn't," Harry laughed as he took her hand.

"I'm afraid you'll have to stay sorry," said Annabel turning red with embarrassment. "I never saw you before."

"Better late than never," Samson assured her. "You don't often see a better fellow."

The girl laughed with a subtle look of agreement in her eyes. Then came up from the barn the ragged little lad of No Santa Claus Land—now a sturdy, bright-eyed, handsome boy of twelve.

The horses were put out and all went in to supper.

After supper Brimstead showed models of a mowing machine with a cut bar six feet long, and a plow which would turn two furrows.

"That's what we need on these prairies," said Samson. "Something

that'll turn 'em over and cut the crop quicker."

"Say, I'll tell ye," said Brimstead as if about to disclose a secret. "These great stretches of smooth, rich land just everlastingly ram the spurs into you and keep your brain galloping. Mine is goin' night and day. The prairies are a new thing and you've got to tackle 'em in a new way. I tell you the seeding and planting and mowing and reaping and threshing is all going to be done by machinery and horses. The wheel will be the foundation of the new era."

"You're right," said Samson.

"How are you gettin' along?"

"Rather slow," Samson answered.

"It's hard to get our stuff to market down in the Sangamon country. Our river isn't navigable yet. We hope that Abe Lincoln, who has just been elected to the legislature, will be able to get it widened and straightened and cleaned up so it will be of some use to us down there."

"I've heard of him. They call him Honest Abe, don't they?"

"Yes; and he is honest if a man ever was."

"Is he going to marry the Rutledge girl?" was the query of Mrs. Brimstead.

"I don't think so," Samson answered, a little surprised at her knowledge of the attachment. "He's as hum-



"After All, It's Home," said Samson.

ly as Sam Hill and dresses rough and ain't real handy with the gals. Some fellers are kind o' fenced in with humbleness and awkwardness."

"The boys around here are all fenced in," said Annabel. "There's nobody here of my age but Lanky Peters, who looks like a fish, and a red-headed Irish boy with a wooden leg."

The Peasleys arrived and the men and women spent a delightful hour traveling without weariness over the long trail to beloved scenes and the days of their youth. Every day's end thousands were going east on that trail, each to find his pot of gold at the foot of the rainbow of memory.

Before they went to bed that night Brimstead paid his debt to Samson, with interest, and very confidentially. It was a long, wearisome ride back to the land of plenty, over frozen ground, with barely an inch of snow upon it, under a dark sky, with a chilly wind blowing.

"After all, it's home," said Samson, when late in the evening they saw the lighted windows of the cabin ahead. When they had put out their horses and came in by the glowing fire, Samson lifted Sarah in his arms again and kissed her.

"I'm kind o' silly, mother, but I can't help it—you look so temptin'," said Samson.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Used Nature's Gifts.

There are no indications that in remote time either oil or gas was put to much practical use as modern people understand that term, but there is little doubt that priests of the fire-worshipping cult which flourished in old Persia made "good things" out of the phenomena. Not far from Baku are the ruins of a temple of the cult which is believed to have been in existence for more than 2,500 years. Tower beacons and altars are provided with channels concealed in the masonry, which demonstrate that gasfitting is not a craft of modern birth. These channels led from fissures in the earth which once furnished natural gas. To this temple came pilgrims from all parts of the East as late as the eighties of the last century. Besides the walls of the temple today stands a modern refinery, furnishing an emphatic contrast in the old and new uses of Nature's gift of oil and gas.

The KITCHEN CABINET

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"Think not so much of what thou hast not as of what thou hast; but of the things thou hast select the best and then reflect how eagerly they would have been sought if thou hadst them not."

SOME GOOD EATINGS.

Buttermilk and sour milk have both been used as a specific for prolonging life, renewing the tissues and preserving beauty. Buttermilk has been recommended by physicians for people troubled with liver trouble, gout or rheumatism.

Buttermilk is often retained by stomachs which cannot digest milk. A glass of cold or hot buttermilk, according to the season or temperature, with a sandwich, makes a most satisfying luncheon. For those who are fond of buttermilk soup this recipe will be enjoyed:

Buttermilk Soup.—Heat a quart of buttermilk until nearly boiling; do not let it boil or it will curdle. Pour over three well beaten eggs, season with salt and sugar and serve with a grating of nutmeg on top of each soup plate.

Buttermilk Ginger Bread.—Take one cupful of molasses, one well-beaten egg, two-thirds of a cupful of buttermilk, a third of a cupful of melted butter or shortening, two teaspoonfuls of soda, spices to taste and one tablespoonful of ginger; add flour to make a batter which drops like a vell from the spoon.

Buttermilk may be used in bread, just scalding the buttermilk and using it as any other liquid.

For dumplings a cupful of buttermilk in place of sweet milk and use baking powder as usual; the result is a fine tasty dumpling.

Egg and Potato Dish.—Try out two slices of fat salt pork cut in cubes; in this brown a cupful of bread cubes and an equal quantity of cold boiled potatoes. When all are well browned, add two eggs slightly beaten. Heat slowly, stirring constantly until the eggs are cooked. Season with salt and pepper and garnish with parsley.

Cocoanut Soup.—Grate the meat of one fresh coconut or the dry coconut may be used if the sugar is soaked out of it. Cook a tablespoonful of butter, add a tablespoonful of flour and a teaspoonful of curry powder. Add a quart of milk and water, a pint of each, and the coconut. Simmer a few minutes, add salt, pepper and a cupful of cooked peas.

Cheese Omelet.—Beat two eggs slightly, add one-half teaspoonful of butter, salt and pepper to taste and a tablespoonful of cheese grated. Add a tablespoonful of butter to the omelet pan and when hot pour in the mixture. Cook until firm, sprinkle with cheese and serve with graham bread sandwiches.

The things that are really for thee, gravitate to thee. He that finds God a sweet, enveloping thought to him, never counts his company.—Emerson.

FOR THE INVALID.

If a member of the family becomes ill, it is often a problem just what to prepare to tempt the appetite and to reduce the recipe to proportions for one person.

Many times it is possible to prepare enough of any dish for the entire family, but when small amounts are to be served the following suggestions may be of service:

Potato Soup for One.—Scald two-thirds of a cupful of milk to which one-sixth of a slice of onion has been added. Remove the onion after the milk is scalded and pour the milk over one-quarter of a cupful of finely mashed potato. Melt one-half tablespoonful of butter, stir in one-half tablespoonful of flour, one salt spoonful of salt, a few grains of celery salt and white pepper. Add to the milk and potato mixture and cook until smooth. Strain and serve very hot, sprinkled with minced parsley. A teaspoonful of tomato catsup adds zest to this soup. Add just before serving.

Cream of Pea Soup.—Take one-third of a cupful of green peas—freshly cooked or canned will do; one-quarter of a cupful of water, one-quarter of a tablespoonful of butter, three-quarters of a tablespoonful of flour, two-thirds of a cupful of milk, one salt spoonful of salt, a few grains of white pepper. Add the water to the peas and simmer ten minutes. Rub through a sieve and thicken with the butter and flour cooked together. Add milk and seasonings. Strain into a hot cup and serve with croutons of bread.

Beef Balls.—Take a piece of round steak from the top of the round, cut in strips and scrape with the grain of the meat, using a sharp teaspoon. Form the meat into balls, sprinkle with salt and cook in a hot frying pan, shaking them over the heat until well seared. Arrange on buttered toast and garnish with parsley or water cress.

When egg is added to any soup, beat it well, mix with a little of the hot soup, then stir it in, using care that the soup is never overheated after the egg is added as it curdles and spoils the appearance of the soup.

Neelie Maxwell

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The Right Instinct.
"Come, Dorothy," said her father impatiently, "throw your doll on the bed and hurry or we shall be late."
"Daddy, how can you?" reproved the child. "I isn't that kind of a mover?"—Boston Transcript.

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Response Was Pat.

The church buildings of Jeffersonville are nearly all close to each other in one precinct, known as the "church precinct." Two of the churches in this precinct occupy opposite corners at one street intersection. Services are held at the same hours, and the passerby can often hear two congregations singing simultaneously. The other day this is what happened:

From the open doors and windows of one church floated out the strains: "Will there be any stars in my crown?"

Like an echo there came from the other church to the grinning outsider, this response:

"No, not one; no, not one."—Indianapolis News.

Taking No Chances.

A man went to a shop to buy a revolver. "I want a good reliable weapon," he said.

"Yes, sir," said the gunsmith. "I have got just the weapon you require—a good six-chamber revolver."

"That's no earthly use to me," said the customer. "I want one that will hold nine shots. I want to kill a cat."

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Inefficiency of Prayer.

"Deacon Fisher is a hard man to deal with on week days, but he prays as loud as anybody on Sunday."

"Yes," said Squire Witherbee. "For twenty years I've been hearin' the deacon ask the Lord to make him a better man, but I'm afraid the Lord ain't makin' much progress."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Literally.

In France they are now building homes out of pressed straw. In Kansas houses of this kind would merely show which way the wind blows.—Los Angeles Times.

Touching Bottom.

"What is Beutham's credit rating?" "So low he can't even get a battery charged."—Wayside Tales.

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SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. Walker

"ALL IS WELL."

IN A clause in the will of Prof. George Trumbull Ladd, late of Yale university, a provision was made that his body should be cremated and that a portion of the ashes should be buried beside a camphor tree which he had planted in 1907 in the yard of the School of Commerce in Nagasaki, Japan.

Professor Ladd was an authority on Oriental matters and had lectured in universities in Japan and India.

"I have lived and loved and labored, and all is well," was the impressive epitaph he chose to mark his grave.

Are you living and loving and laboring so that at the end of your journey, you can say, "all is well?"

What a volume of meaning there is in those three monosyllables and the splendid words preceding them!

To live and love and labor, and to do nothing more would in a little while turn arid wastes to blooming gardens, and lift from the world its burden of care, its burning hates and frightful wars. Terrible Mars with his blarney eyes would be vanquished.

And so would the thorny road you are traveling, while carrying in the pack on your back old animosities and jealousies that retard your progress at every step.

We have each of us some whimsy in the brain that keeps us from loving and laboring as we should.

We have within us pent-up torrents of factious words which in sudden vents of anger we pour out and flood the smooth road ahead until it becomes impassable.

We wound the hearts of our dear ones, and sometimes the hurt remains through life.

We seemingly cannot agree on anything except hostility.

In sudden bursts of passion, to live and love and labor, that all may be well is remote from our thoughts.

Some of us, in moments of relief—

HOW DO YOU SAY IT?

By C. N. LURIE

Common Errors in English and How to Avoid Them

"EITHER, EACH, BOTH."

ON EITHER side of the street there was a row of tall buildings." The speaker meant to convey that both sides of the street were lined with tall buildings, not that there was a row on either side, for "either" means "one or the other." He might have used the word "each," and have said, "On each side of the street there was a row of tall buildings," and his idea would have been clothed in correct words.

In the English of the days of King James I the usage on which comment is made was correct, and the King James version of the Bible written in the early years of the Seventeenth century (I King 5:15) says: "A line did compass either of them about," but the dictionary calls such use at the present day archaic; that is, ancient and outworn, and not to be approved in modern writing or speaking.

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Going Into Mourning.

Entering a garage the other day Smith saw one of the colored employees that he knew looking very disconsolate. "What's the matter, Sam?" he asked. "Are you sick?"

"No, sah, 'tain't that," replied Sam. "I hab done los' \$5, sah, an' I jes' nacherly got to sit an' grieve."—Boston Transcript.

MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

by Nellie Maxwell

If a man finds himself with bread in both hands, he should exchange one loaf for some flowers of the narcissus, since the loaf feeds the body indeed, but the flowers feed the soul.—Machomet.

SEASONABLE GOOD THINGS.

A RICH rice pudding for an occasion will be found most acceptable. Take a half-cupful of washed rice, drain after soaking overnight in slightly salted water. Add one cupful of milk and cook, closely covered, in a moderate oven. Add to one pint of cream the yolks of four eggs well beaten, with one-half cupful of sugar and stir in the cooked rice. Let bake, still covered, until the custard is set, then make a meringue with the whites of the eggs and pile on top. Brown lightly.

Roast Venison, Virginia Style.

Let the haunch of venison hang for a week in a cold place. The day before it is to be used wash in warm vinegar and water, and then rub with butter to soften the skin. Cover the top and sides with well-greased paper and over this put a half-inch layer of greased paper. The next day put into the roasting pan and cover closely with another pan. Allow three

hours for roasting a 12-pound roast. Add one pint of water from time to time. At the end of an hour, baste well. Half an hour before serving, remove the papers and baste thoroughly with a cupful of cider and a spoonful of melted butter. Dredge with flour, return to the oven. Repeat the basting four times. The oven should be hot enough to brown the meat well. To prepare the gravy, remove the meat, add a tablespoonful of flour and stir until well browned; add a glass of cider, salt and pepper to taste. Stir well; add one-half a glass of currant jelly, and when it is melted strain the gravy into a gravy boat.

And so should we all, for to live and love and labor ought to be our chief purpose in life, for it will take us through safely and enable us at the end to write with a glad heart and a steady hand, "all is well!" (Copyright.)

LYRICS OF LIFE

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

STYLE.

I AM not right in style And yet I do not care. Though people often smile At things I have and wear, For I remember folks Who once were quite correct Who'd be the village jokes At present, I expect.

It wasn't long ago To win the world's regard You always had to show An iron dog in the yard. Each family must possess A scraper on the stoop, No house was right unless It had a Rogers group.

The whatnot now is gone, Along with Rogers' art; The dogs upon the lawn With iron legs depart; And, in this later day, New styles in style appear, To be themselves passe Perhaps within a year.

Who chases after style Will go a merry pace, Will spend a pretty pile To keep his proper place. And then some wintry night The folks will yell at you, "This furniture's a fright— We must get something new!" (Copyright.)

SCHOOL DAYS



The lair tree

mixture begins to thicken, pour into a mold and sprinkle with chopped nuts.

Browned Chestnuts.

Use the large imported chestnuts for this dish, if possible. With a sharp knife make two incisions at right angles to each other, through the shell on one side of each nut. Cover with boiling water and let cook half an hour. Drain and keep hot while removing the shell and thin skin from each nut. Put into hot fat and brown. Turn often. Drain on soft paper and sprinkle lightly with salt.

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THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I hope that Willyum will return. This accident quite takes my breath. Still if the worst befalls, at least He'll die a patriotic death.



THE GIRL ON THE JOB

How to Succeed—How to Get Ahead—How to Make Good

By JESSIE ROBERTS

FOCUS YOUR ENERGIES

"I WANTED to be a singer," said a successful illustrator to the writer. "I had a pretty fair voice. With cultivation it could have been made better. But I know if I spent the time necessary for its cultivation, I wouldn't have time to learn to draw. And I had more ability at picture making than at singing."

"I didn't quit singing cold. I still sing a little. But I dropped it as a business. One business is all any man can attend to if he wants to get along." Today this man is one of the highest paid illustrators in the country. He might have been a fair singer and a fair singer, or a good singer and a bad illustrator. But he chose the career for which he had the greater talent, and stuck to it.

The late Charles E. Van Loan in youth developed considerable talent for drawing. When he was fourteen or fifteen his teachers predicted that he would some day be a great artist. But he discovered that he could write better than he could draw, and thereafter he drew only to amuse his friends and his children.

All his energies were bent toward learning to write, and learn to write he did.

Many men are born with a little talent for several different activities. And many such ruin their lives by scattering their energies instead of concentrating them on the one thing they can do best.

Time allotted to man is insufficient for the mastery of even a single art or profession.

Few men, however great, ever die with the feeling that they have reached anything like the standards they set for themselves.

There is always something still to learn when the summons comes to lay labor aside forever. The surest way to win the measure of success that your abilities can command is to select the profession or the trade or the business you most enjoy following, and keep at that to the exclusion of every thing else save needful recreation.

It is a poor set of brains that cannot learn to do one thing particularly well. It is a miraculous brain that can learn to do two things even fairly well.

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Life as I See It.

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FRANKFORT

Great interest has been aroused here over the drilling for oil at the W. C. Schmuhl farm in New Lenox township. Perhaps this whole region will be dotted with oil wells some time. Fred Geuther states that he has a spring on his farm north of Frankfort which has been oily for years. Oil has been running so thick on the water that it has not been fit to use for drinking. The spring is across the Hickory creek, near the old brick creamery building.

The Brotherhood of the St. Peter's Evangelical church held an entertainment at the church basement, Tuesday night, to which the members and their families had been invited. A large-sized crowd was present.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the St. Peter's Evangelical church will hold a bazaar at the church parlors the afternoon and evening of November 17th. A chicken supper will be served.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fitzer was christened at the St. Peter's Evangelical church Sunday morning by Rev. G. Lambrecht. Name given, Virgil Allen.

A number of Frankfort people attended the bazaar held at Mokena Wednesday.

The State highway building outfit, which has been located at Frankfort while the Lincoln highway thru Frankfort township was being concreted, is going to be moved to Carroll, Ill., despite the effort which was made recently to have the outfit stay

here until the highway was concreted thru New Lenox township. Work has been started on packing up the machinery and moving. It is not certain just when the New Lenox piece of the Lincoln highway will be concreted. Frankfort township has now got 6 miles of concrete highway, giving the people of this section a direct hard road right in to Chicago. By repairing the macadam road thru New Lenox township a hard road will be had thru to Joliet.

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NEW LENOX

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Born—At the same hospital and on same day, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. David Peterson, of Homer.

The New Lenox Home Improvement Club is to meet with Mrs. Arthur Bush, next Wednesday, instead of with Mrs. Ward Bush, as stated last week.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the New Lenox M. E. church met with Mrs. J. Werner, Wednesday and Thursday, to perfect arrangements and plans for the bazaar and chicken supper to be held at the M. E. church parlors on November 17th.

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Tinley Park

Considerable excitement was created in Tinley Park Tuesday afternoon when a team drawing a wagon loaded with coal started to run away. They ran north to Klepper's corner, where they were stopped when the wagon tongue broke. One of the horses fell and laid under the wagon until help arrived. The other horse was standing by the wagon. Both were unhurt. The team belonged to Mr. Zolo, of Goeselville.

Elmer Keuch had a bad scare Tuesday afternoon. He was driving his truck toward his market when the little daughter of Wm. Wannamacher ran directly in front of the truck, near the Rock Island crossing. Before Mr. Keuch could stop his truck, the fender struck the child, knocking her down, but she escaped injury. It appears the child had her hood pulled down and did not see the car.

The Halloween dance held Saturday night, at the Saenger hall, by the Misses Florence Reiber and Margaret Hopkins, was a big success. A very large crowd attended the dance.

The Bowlers of Blue Island will give a dance at Saenger hall Saturday night.

The BIG event will be Saturday night, November 12th, when the News-Bulletin will direct a Con fetti dance at Saenger hall. Be sure and be there for a real good time.

The Blue Island Switchman's Union will hold a dance at the Saenger hall on Thanksgiving eve. Two special trains will be run on the Rock Island to Tinley Park and left on a side track until the guests are ready to go home.

A miscellaneous shower was held Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Philip Derr, in Chicago, in honor of her sister, Miss Amelia Hick, who will be the bride of Raymond Brennan, also of Chicago, at an early date. A number of relatives of the bride-to-be from Tinley Park attended the affair.

A merry crowd gathered at the home of Mrs. Minnie Stoeckman, Tuesday evening, to celebrate her birthday anniversary. The guests made merry afternoon and evening. About fifty were present. Bunco, Schafkopf and Rummy were the pastimes. Refreshments were served and all had a fine time.

Mrs. Kate Schilling entertained a host of relatives in honor of her birthday, last Wednesday afternoon and evening. A most delightful time was enjoyed.

On Thursday afternoon and evening a host of neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Wm. Macke and assisted her in celebrating her natal day. The usual good time prevailed.

On Wednesday evening the Ladies' Card Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Henry Neimann.

The first English Lutheran services will be conducted next Sunday evening at the M. E. church by Rev. Wm. Greve. It is suggested that English services should be held at least once a month, and the first Sunday of every month has been chosen. The services will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The subject of the sermon, based on the Gospel lesson (Matt. 9, 18-26) is: "The Power of Faith in Conquering Sin and Death." All are welcome.

The Young People's Society meets every first Thursday in the month, the mixed choir every Friday evening.

MARLEY

Mrs. H. H. Sabin was a Chicago visitor Monday.

The Household Science Club will meet November 15th, instead of November 8th, their usual day, on account of the bazaar.

Mrs. John Jungles, Jr., Mrs. Matt Wagner, of Orland, and Mrs. Eva Saftenharn, of Chicago, were guests of Howard Aspel, Friday.

John Handorf, who was in Silver Cross hospital a week, is at home. An operation was to have been performed, but on account of a bad cold was put off to a later date.

The bazaar of the Marley church will be held in the church basement next Thursday, Nov. 10. The ladies are working hard to make this, as usual, a successful affair. Chicken supper will be served.

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Beauty in footwear consists of two important features---first and above all is quality---next in importance is a perfect fit---at this store quality reigns supreme and a well trained intelligent fitting service awaits you at all times---that's why Hutchinson's shoes "look different"---they cost no more than the ordinary kind---

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The White Store

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10 pounds Pure Cane Sugar 39c — with purchase of \$2.50 or over.

EXTRA SPECIAL — Grocery Department — Gold Medal Flour 24½ pound cloth sack \$1.04

No. 2 Early June Peas, 10½c	VanCamp's Pork and Beans, can 9½c	Hebe Milk, tall can 8½c
Libby's Pineapple, No. 2½ 25c	Pancake Flour, 1½ lb. package 10c	Pride Laundry Soap, 10 bars 25c
Libby's Peaches, No. 2½ can 25c	15c Glass Mustard Sugar or Cream 5½c	White Naptha Soap, Classic, 10 bars 39c

10c Sunshine Biscuits, 6 kinds, 5c package

Good Salmon, No. 2 can 12½c	Best Mince Meat, fresh, at 12½c
10c and 15c package Noodles, Spaghetti and Macaroni 3½c	U. S. Government Corned Beef, 6 pounds 69c
U. S. Government Pure Army Castile Soap, pound 20c	U. S. Government Army Bacon, 12 pounds \$1.25

Special Sale U. S. Government Army and Navy Goods

U. S. Government Army Overalls 95c	U. S. Government Army Fleeced Underwear 39c	Sardines, in oil, per can 5½c
U. S. Government Army Rain Coats \$1.95	U. S. Government Army Wool Underwear 95c	Sardines, in Mustard Sauce, can 6½c

U. S. Government Wool Army Blankets, \$2.95

U. S. Government Army Overcoats \$4.95	U. S. Army Government Mess Kits 25c	U. S. Navy Sweaters \$1.98
U. S. Government Tents 75c	U. S. Government Army 45 Gun Cases \$1.00	U. S. Navy Pea Jackets \$8.95
U. S. Government Army Wool O. D. Coats 95c	U. S. Army Folding Buckets 55c	U. S. Army Service Hats 95c
U. S. Army Government Khaki Coats 35c	U. S. Government Army O. D. Wrap Leggings 95c	U. S. Army Wool Caps and Mufflers 39c
U. S. Government Army Haversacks 35c	U. S. Army Cordovan Leather Puttees \$3.50	U. S. Khaki 26-ounce Wool Pants \$3.95
U. S. Army Government Canteens 19c	U. S. Army Leather Jerkins (vests) \$2.98	U. S. Army Wool O. D. Breeches \$1.95

U. S. Government Army O. D. Wool Blankets, \$3.95

U. S. Army Wool Socks 15c	U. S. Army Field Shoes \$2.95	U. S. Army Laundry Bags 19c
U. S. Army Bacon, 12-pound can \$1.75	U. S. Army Castile Soap, Regular \$1.00; pound 20c	U. S. Army Transport Gloves 59c
U. S. Army Corned Beef, 6-pound can 69c	U. S. Army Gas Mask \$4.95	U. S. Army Canvas Leggings, pair 45c

Shoes at much lower prices than before the war

W. L. Douglas Union Made Men's Fine Dress Shoes \$3.95	Boys' All Leather School Shoes \$1.49	Men's All Leather \$3.00 Work Shoes \$1.98
MEN'S SCOUT SHOES \$1.59	Child's All Leather School Shoes \$1.29	Men's finest Dress Shoes \$3.85
	Men's and Women's Felt Slippers 48c	Women's Oxfords and Pumps, \$10 values \$2.85

A Sale of finest Women's, Misses' and Children's Coats at 50c on \$

PLUSH COATS	LOT 1—\$12.50 to \$18.00 values \$5.95	LOT 2—\$27.50 to \$35 values \$12.50
2,000 Coats for Women's Misses and Children, in Plush and Cloth, plain and fur-trimmed.	LOT 3—\$20.00 to \$25.00 values \$8.95	LOT 4—\$35.00 to \$60 values \$22.50

Women's, Misses' and Children's Millinery Samples

1000 MEN'S AND BOYS' HATS AND CAPS	LOT 2—Hats \$3.48	BIG LOT OF SAMPLE TAMS AT 50 PER CENT OFF
LOT 1—Caps, 1000 to 1500	Child's \$2.00 Hats all kinds 79c	Women's Sample \$5.00 to \$9.00 Hats \$2.19

Men's Sample Silk Socks, 5000 pairs — 35c and 69c.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR	Men's 50 Per Cent Wool Union Suits \$2.95	MEN'S NIGHT GOWNS
Men's Sample Silk Socks, 5,000 pairs, 69c and 35c	Men's 33 Per Cent Wool Union Suits \$1.98	Gowns \$98c
Men's heavy ribbed Union Suits 98c	Men's finest (Worst) Union Suits \$1.25	LADIES' HOSIERY
Men's 100 Per Cent Wool Union Suits \$4.95	500 Bath Robes, made from Beacon Blankets, rich patterns, \$3.00 and \$10.00 values. All sizes, at \$3.98	Women's Sample Silk Hose 49c
Men's Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, U. S. Government Class 39c		Women's Wool Sport Hose 25c
		Boys' and Girls' 60c School Hose 25c

Do not forget the big shoe sale now going on.

Has Strong Public Health Nursing Program.



WITH 49 Red Cross Public Health nurses promoting better living conditions in connection with the other activities of the 126 chapters of the American Red Cross here in Illinois the importance of the work is of unusual interest.

The rural program has been found well adapted to this state, and many communities have been reached by this department of activity during the past year for the first time. Physical inspection of the children in the rural schools is one of the most important phases of this work. They are inspected for defective teeth, eyesight, and hearing. Weighing and measuring are a part of this health program, and frequent nutrition classes are organized to help under-nourished children reach a normal development.

Public Health nurses frequently have adult classes in Home Hygiene as well as classes in the schools, thereby extending their services beyond routine of school inspection. During the past year 2,541 women have passed the examinations and received certificates in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick given by Red Cross instructors.

Different problems exist in the cities, where the dangers of contagion and the need of intensive health education are greater. In addition to the physical inspection of school children, the organizing of clinics and the investigation of home conditions, there is much follow-up work to be done. Through the co-operation of the teachers, minor defects which tend to retard school children mentally as well as physically are detected and corrected in the clinics.

In both city and country communities the Red Cross has a clearly defined program which may be adapted to local needs. That 23 chapters since last year have realized the need of this work and extended their program to include this very practical activity proves the growing appreciation for this endeavor.

On Armistice Day—November 11—the annual Roll Call of the Red Cross will be held. Membership dollars will enable the Red Cross not only to carry on the valuable service it is already rendering, but expand the work to reach a wider field.

\$1,211,858 HAS BEEN EXPENDED IN THE CARE OF EX-SERVICE MEN AND THEIR FAMILIES BY THE 748 CHAPTERS OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS CENTRAL DIVISION. MORE THAN TEN MILLIONS IS BEING SPENT ANNUALLY FOR THESE SOLDIERS THROUGHOUT THE NATION. YOUR MEMBERSHIP DOLLARS WILL HELP TO CARRY ON THIS WORK. ANNUAL ROLL CALL ARMISTICE DAY TO THANKS-GIVING (NOV. 11 TO 24). RE-MEMBER and RE-ENROLL.

JUNIOR RED CROSS AIDS CITIZENSHIP IN ILLINOIS.

That the boys and girls of today who are to be the men and women of tomorrow are learning the value of good citizenship not only in their own communities but throughout the world, is shown by the \$210,123 members enrolled in the 859 Junior Auxiliaries of the American Red Cross here in this state. More than five million pupils in the public, parochial and private schools of the United States are enrolled in this great organization.

Here in Illinois a number of other Junior activities have been carried on with the help of the teachers. More than 880 toys were made by Juniors in Champaign, and sent overseas to children's schools in the devastated regions. Dixon made a feature of the work in civics.

Hot lunches were provided from Junior funds in Granite City and Pinckneyville. This work is considered a great help to nutrition service, which is another Red Cross activity often carried on in the schools. Milk was distributed in schools in Petersburg and financed by the Juniors.

In many of the Chicago schools the sick and unfortunate among the service men as well as inmates of children's hospitals and various institutions have become the especial interest of the different schools. Programs have been provided for the patients by the Juniors, concerts and story hours arranged for their amusement. A number of garments were made by the children for hospital use of convalescent ex-service men.

Activities for this year in Illinois are well under way. Schools are enrolling as auxiliaries to carry on the various objects. To carry on this work and increase its scope as well as the many other vital community services which the Red Cross chapters are rendering in their communities is one of the objectives of the Annual Roll which opens on November 11, Armistice day, and continues until Thanksgiving.

Shell-Cracking Bird.

Certain species of birds which inhabit eastern Africa possess the largest and strongest beaks known to ornithologists. One of these is the open-bill or shell-bird. It is a long-legged, stork-like bird, which has a beak like a nut-cracker. The parts of the bill cannot be closed in the middle. It eats frogs and fish, but its favorite food is fresh water mollusks the shells of which it can crush with its powerful beak.

Half-Price Sale of Suits



Ladies' and Misses' Quality Suits

The most remarkable of all fall merchandising events. Our entire stock of high grade, smart, new fall and winter Suits at HALF PRICE.

These Suits are made of Tricotine, Duvelaine, Velours and some novelty weaves. Strictly Tailored Models as well as several fancy styles, charm the seeker for good quality suits. Fur trimmed models, trimmed with the best of fur, are shown in a number of styles.

Save exactly one-half of the original cost of your Suit by buying it NOW!

Duckers' Second Floor.



Sale of Men's Shirts

Men's Cotton Flannel Shirts

Men's Cotton Flannel Shirts, collar attached, button down pocket, faced sleeve and yoke back. \$1.75 value. Special for **\$1.39**

Men's No Fade Shirts

A fine assortment of Men's No Fade Shirts, all sizes, wide range of patterns, in madras and percales, values to \$2.50. Special **\$1.79**

First Floor

10 Lbs. Sugar 30c

When your purchases amount to \$5.00 or more throughout the entire store, you are entitled to a 10-pound sack of Cane Sugar for 30c. This offer runs only this week.

DUCKERS

4 Spools of Coats Thread

The most popular thread on the market, in all sizes and colors. Very special, **17c**

4 spools for (Limit 4 spools to a customer)

First Floor

DUCKERS

10 yds. of Unbleached Muslin

Of a good quality, firm weave, full yard wide. Very special during this week, 10 yards for **89c**

(Limit 10 yards)

Basement.

DUCKERS

36-inch Comfort Challies

A good quality of Comfort Challies, 36 inches wide. Very special for this week only, per yard **16c**

Basement.

DUCKERS

Men's Heavy Overalls

Made of a good quality denim, either plain blue or with a white stripe; sizes 34 to 46; made with a bib. Special at **75c**

First Floor

DUCKERS

\$3 and \$4 Corsets

Made of silk or cotton tulle, or plain cotton, in flesh color, the biggest corset value of years. Very special **\$1.89**

Second Floor

DUCKERS

\$5 House Dresses

A very attractive lot of Gingham Dresses, in plaids, checks and stripes; comes in assorted colors and styles. Values to \$5.00. Very special for **\$1.89**

Second Floor

DUCKERS

Values to \$5 Silk Jersey Bloomers

Silk Jersey Bloomers, that sold up to \$5.00, in a wide range of colors, your choice this week, at **\$2.95**

Second Floor

DUCKERS

\$3 Duchess Satin

36-inch Black Duchess Satin, wonderful quality with rich lustre, regular \$3.00 value. Special, per yard **\$1.48**

First Floor

DUCKERS

Sanitary Napkins

Modern Sanitary Napkins, very popular, 6 for 25c, or each **5c**

DUCKERS

Children's Wool Princess Slips

Wool in assorted colors, regular \$1.25 value, in sizes from 3 to 12 years. Special during this week of big values **5c**

DUCKERS

Sale of Ladies' Hose

Ladies' All Pure Silk Hose, full fashioned, in brown only, a regular \$2.65 value. Special, per pair **\$1.98**

Ladies' Pure Thread Silk Hose, in black, brown, white and gray, 89c value. Special, per pair **65c**

Ladies' Wool Hose, in the heather colors, the kind that are so popular now. Special, per pair **\$1.59**

Ladies' Cashmere Hose, in black with deep hem top and reinforced foot. Regular \$1.79 value. Special, per pair **\$1.49**

Duckers' First Floor

\$3.50 Canton Crepe

40-inch Silk Canton Crepe, navy blue, black, brown and gray, \$3.50 value. Special, yard **\$2.98**

\$1.59 Messaline

36-inch Black Taffeta and Messaline, good quality, regular \$1.59 value. Special for this week, per yard **\$1.00**

Duckers' First Floor

54-inch Krimmer

The new wooly material for trimming coats and dresses. A beautiful material, 54 inches wide, in gray only. Special, per yard **\$5.50**

Duckers' First Floor

\$2.75 Epingle

50-inch All Wool Epingle; very serviceable material, in navy blue only. Regular \$2.75 value, per yard **\$1.69**

Duckers' First Floor

Ladies' Stamped Gowns

All made up and stamped for embroidery, different patterns, very fine grade of nainsook. Special at **\$1.39**

Duckers' First Floor

Sale of Ladies' Gloves

Ladies' Kayser Chamisette Gauntlet Gloves, in brown, beaver and covert shades. On special sale, per pair **89c**

Ladies' Kayser Silk and Fabric Gloves in black or white; a broken assortment that sold up to \$2.00 per pair. Special, per pair **39c**

Ladies' French Kid Gloves of splendid quality and in the Perrin's make, colors of sand or black, with pretty stitched backs. They sold up to \$3.98. Special, per pair **\$1.50**

Duckers' First Floor

Ladies' Pettibloomers

Ladies' Jersey Knit Pettibloomers, in green, brown and navy, all sizes, with double elastic at knee and elastic belt. \$1.98 value, special at **\$1.59**

Corset Covers

Ladies' Knit Corset Covers, light fleece, Dutch neck and with elbow sleeves, regular and out sizes. Special 75c and **69c**

Duckers' First Floor

Ladies' Union Suits

Ladies' Princess May Suits, in one of the best quality of materials, selected for softness and service. Perfect fitting and will not shrink, \$1.59 value. Special **\$1.00**

Duckers' First Floor

Children's Waists

Children's Knit Underwaists, with garter attachment, in all wanted sizes; regular 35c value. Special **19c**

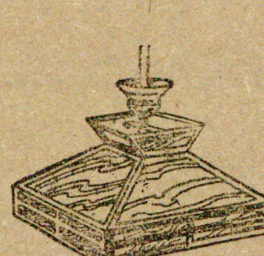
Duckers' First Floor

\$1.79 Flouncing

Embroidery Flouncing, 27 inches wide, dainty designs, with hemstitched hem, regular \$1.79 value. Special, yard **\$1.19**

Duckers' First Floor

BARGAIN BASEMENT



Gas Domes \$9.98

\$13 value

Convertible Gas or Electric Domes, square shape, amber panels, regular \$13.00 value. Special **\$9.98**

at \$9.98

42-inch Pillow Tubing 3 yards for \$1.00

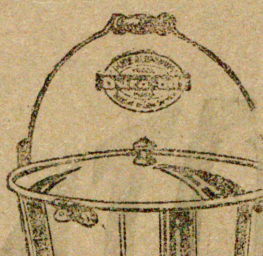
Genuine "Wearwell" Pillow Tubing, snow white, bleached, 42 inches wide, 45c value. Special, 3 yards for **\$1.00**

10 yards 36-inch Long Cloth \$1.79

Very fine Bleached Longcloth, full 36 inches wide, a regular 25c value. Special, 10 yards for **\$1.79**

Black Hawk Sheeting 49c

Fine quality 3-4 Sheeting, 8 1/2 yard limit—Special, the yard **49c**



\$2.75 Stock Fans

Regular \$2.75 value in good standard 18 gauge aluminum, colonial shape, 6 qt. size with choice of size or color, only **\$1.49**

at \$1.49



Mixing Bowls 10c

Brown and white or yellow and white Mixing Bowls, sizes 2, 4 and 6-inch. Your choice of size or color, only **10c**

at 10c

45-inch Oil Cloth 39c

Good quality 45-inch Oil Cloth, positively all first grade. Special, per yard **39c**

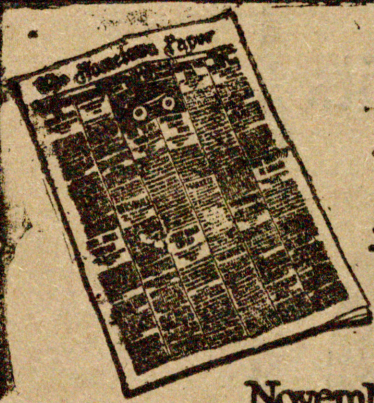
Fancy Outing 17c

Fancy Outing Flannel, splendid assortment of patterns, 10-yard limit, 35 inches wide. Special, yard **17c**

Casseroles 39c

Brown and White Casseroles, 6-inch size, good quality Carnalite Ware, 50c value. Special at **39c**

Duckers' First Floor



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One of Humanity's Fallings.
We see with an almost indecent
alacrity what principles involve for
our opponents, but we are frequently
uncommonly slow to recognize that the
same principles involve the same
things for all of us.—Chesterton.

Fruit Goes to Waste.
In the total movement of fruit in
this country, it is stated that at least
15 per cent of it is spoiled by care-
lessness or indifference in the handling
of the fruit in the course of shipment.

Something in This.
If a man has the raw material for
being a blamed fool, he cannot blame
the fakir for taking advantage of
opportunity.—Buckley.

You may not be in the habit
of attending sales, but
don't fail to take
advantage of
LEWIS BROS.

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SALE**

It is by far THE GREATEST value
giving event ever staged in this
vicinity. People from miles around
are thronging our store to share in
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Men's Shoes and Oxfords, Women's
High and Low Shoes; Boys', Girls'
and Infants' Shoes, ALL SOLD
WITHOUT A PENNY PROFIT.



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November Sale of Coats

Four Groups of Finest Garments at Prices
That Mean Great Savings

Materials are the richest and furs the most luxuriant. Every coat an exclus-
ive model. Take advantage of this opportunity.

Materials are the richest and furs the most luxuriant. Take advantage of this
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GROUP 1—Fine man tailored Coats
of finest overcoatings—wonderful
utility coats, combining style and
comfort.

\$45.00

GROUP 2—A group of very stylish
Coats in fine materials. Browns
and blues; some fur collar models.

\$59.50

GROUP 3—Comprise Coats of fine
velora, Pollyanna, Normandy and
other rich fabrics, with fur col-
lars and cuffs; also plain rich ma-
terials, exquisitely tailored; a
wonderful group of beautiful gar-
ments.

\$85.00

GROUP 4—Twenty-five of the
handsomest Coats—every one an
exclusive model. The richest ma-
terials, trimmings of squirrel, fox,
lynx, wolf and beaver. You save
from \$50.00 to \$75.00 on every
coat at these prices.

Price \$100 to \$165

—Beach's Third Floor

Grand Park

The Hallowe'en social which was given by the young people of the Orland M. E. church, was well attended. The basement was prettily decorated for the occasion. The evening was spent in playing various games and fortune telling. To add to the amusements, three ghosts appeared on the scene, which caused a lot of excitement. Later in the evening a delicious lunch was served, consisting of fried cakes, cocoa and taffy apples.

The Ladies' Guild will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Thomas Cooper. A potluck dinner will be served. At this meeting the bazaar will be planned, which will be held later in the month.

Mrs. Charles Tomlinson and son Lloyd, of Willow Springs, visited last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Creer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Newberg and Miss Dorothy Wilson, of Chicago, spent Saturday and Sunday at the Clarence Beagley home.

Elmer Hallburg was entertained Saturday evening and Sunday at the George Geo. home.

John Gill is still under the doctor's care in Chicago, and is improving.

Mrs. Brandau, of Frankfort, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Cooper.

The Sunday school and choir are busy planning for their Christmas entertainment.

Margaret Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper, who has been sick for the past seven weeks, is improving.

Mrs. Harry Cox entertained a number of friends and relatives in honor of her birthday, on Friday afternoon.

Stewart Loeb, who is attending Northwestern University, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Loeb and family spent Sunday at the Edward Innes home in Chicago.

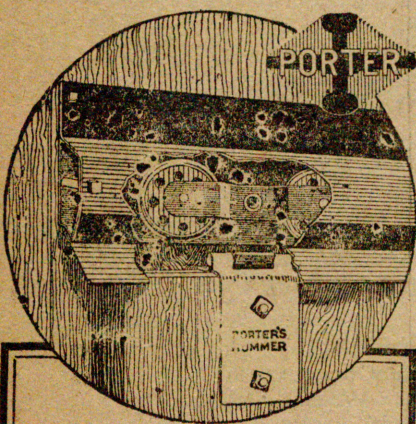
Mrs. William Beagley attended a turkey dinner in Chicago, Tuesday evening, in honor of her great-nephew's birthday anniversary.

Rev. and Mrs. Neumeier moved into the parsonage last week.

William Myrick is painting the parsonage.

The Official Board of the M. E. church held their first meeting of the year at the parsonage Thursday evening.

The choir will be entertained Saturday evening, November 5th, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Neumeier.



Here's YOUR Kind of Barn Door Hanger PORTER

Dependable Since Sixty-Eight

The smallest items in your barn equipment are the door hangers—you never give them a thought as long as they work smoothly. But nothing can be more irritating if they are not right.

You'll find in Porter Door Hangers a combination of good materials, fine workmanship and sturdy construction. They are weather-proof, bird-proof and rust-resisting. They always work smoothly and silently. Roller bearing trolleys make them roll easily.

We carry a variety of Porter Door Hangers—a kind for every use; for heavy or light doors, inside or out. Let us show them to you.

MOKENA HDW. CO.

Dress Skirts \$3.95

Women's Dress Skirts, made of Wool Serge, in plain or fancy plaids; in tailored or pleated models. Assorted sizes. \$5.95 values.



Corsets \$1.75

Splendid assortment of Back and Front Laced Corsets, in low and medium bust, made of splendid grade of coutil, in flesh and white. Sizes range from 20 to 30. Former values \$2.50 and \$3.

Tuesday's Store News Offers Many Hints On Saving QUALITY FIRST--ALWAYS



Women's and Misses' Fall SUITS

Some with convertible collars of same material; others with fur. Available in sizes from 16 to 44. Graceful, slender lines, simple cut and rich autumn colors characterize these suits. Fabrics of wool velour, tricotine and French Serge. All dependable qualities, and attractively trimmed with silk embroidery and braids, lining attractive and serviceable, which makes them more desirable at the exceptional price of—

\$14.50

Serpentine Crepe Kimonos 2.19

Women's and Misses' Kimonos; made of Serpentine Crepe, elastic waist line—neatly trimmed—shades are rose, copen, grey and navy. Sizes 36 to 44. \$2.75 value—at

\$2.19



SILK AND WOOL

Sample Dresses

\$12.95

A Special Selling of Women's and Misses' Sample Fall Dresses, of Canton Crepe, Taffeta, Tricotine and Serge; beautifully trimmed with silk embroidery, braid and beads. There is about them an air of simplicity—graceful lines and tasteful trimmings class them at once as garments of quality. These Dresses are worth all the way from \$20.00 to \$30.00. To close out this lot we will sell them at—

\$12.95

Flannelette Kimonos 1.79

Pretty assortment of flannelette Kimonos—Velour patterns. Shades are gray, lavender, copen and rose, neatly trimmed. Sizes 36 to 44. \$2.50 value, at—

\$1.79

Women's and Misses' Fall or Winter Coats



Women's and Misses' 36-inch Sport or Full Length. Materials are Tinseltone, Bolivia and Velour. Colors black navy and brown. All sizes.

\$10.00

Women's Sateen Bloomers 89c

Made of extra heavy sateen, cut full, elastic knee or ankle length. Colors are purple, Myrtle, Copen and black. Special, at

89c

Silk Jersey Bloomers 2.79

Women's and Misses' Bloomers; made of silk Jersey, cut full, ankle length, with 2 rows of banding. Colors are navy and black. Special.....

2.79

Flannelette Sleepers 79c

One lot of Children's heavy Flannelette Sleepers, in fancy stripe or plain white. Sizes 2 to 10 years, at....

79c

Children's Sweaters \$2.89

Choice assortment of Children's Sweaters, in belted or middy effect. Colors are hunter, copen, navy, cardinal. Sizes 24 to 30. Special.....

\$2.89

Coverall Aprons 79c

Made of standard Percales, in light and dark colors; cut full, tie back or full belted models. Sizes 36 to 46. Special, at

79c

Women's Flannelette Gowns, 89c

Made of blue and white and pink and white flannelette, slip-over style; cut full; \$1.25 value, at

89c

HOSIERY

Ladies' Hose, pair 8c

Ladies' extra heavy quality Cotton Hose, all sizes, in black and cordovan. Special, pair 8c.

Boys' School Hose, pair 25c

Boys' heavy ribbed Hose—that will stand hard wear; all sizes. Special at, pair 25c.

Ladies' Fleeced Hose, pair 19c

Ladies' heavy, good quality fleeced Hose, all sizes, in black. Special, per pair 19c.

Children's Hose, pair 12½c

Good quality ribbed Hose; in black and white. Special, pair 12½c.

Trimmed Hats

Fashion's Latest Creations in Trimmed Hats. Charming and extremely new are these models we are showing, and the values are exceptional. They are fashioned of metallic cloth, in gold and silver, combined with panne velvet and trimmed with ostrich feathers. Off the face styles, rolling brim soft graceful effects and other attractive models in black and Autumn shades. Specially priced at—

\$5.00--\$7.50

One Lot of Hat Shapes at \$1.49

Choice of about 100 Untrimmed Hats, all this season's styles, made of the best of velvets; worth up to \$6.00; to close out at

\$1.49

UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Ribbed Union Suits Garment, 79c

Ladies' Suits, all styles and sizes. Special, at per garment, 79c.

Men's Wool Shirts and Drawers Garment, 98c

Men's Wool Shirts and Drawers, heavy good quality; all sizes. Special, garment 98c.

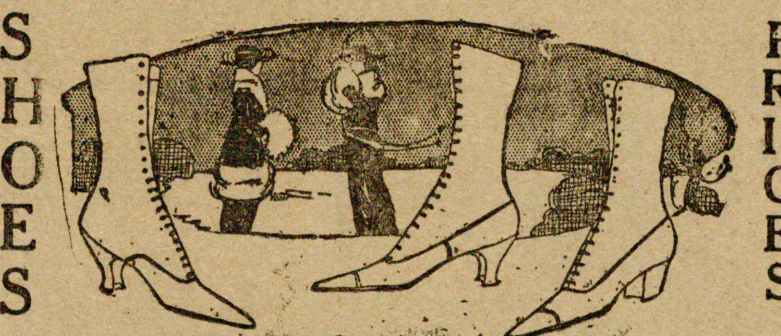
Men's Fleeced Shirts and Drawers Garment, 49c

Men's extra heavy quality fleeced Shirts and Drawers, all sizes. Special, garment 49c.

Boys' Ribbed Union Suits Garment, 79c

Boys' heavy ribbed Union Suits, all sizes. Special at garment, 79c.

GOOD SHOES LOW PRICES



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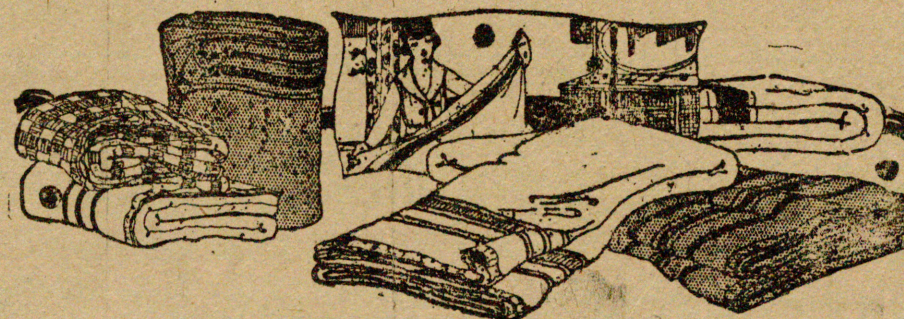
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IT PAYS TO SHOP AT THE NEW YORK STORE — JOLIET

Gifts That Will Please

Of Canvas and Ribbon



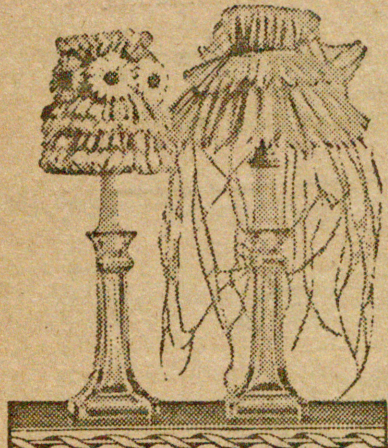
It goes without saying that bags of all sorts are among those gifts that are always welcome. There are many new ones this year made of coarse canvas, or unbleached linen and trimmed with narrow satin ribbon and ribbon flowers. Baby ribbon may be drawn through the interstices of the canvas. Drawing threads out of either the canvas or linen makes it possible to weave wider ribbons over and under the remaining threads, in borders or ornaments. Flowers cut from cotton or linen, in various colors, are applied to the linen bags and buttonholed along their edges with cotton floss or yarn. A case for holding playing cards and a bag which may be put to various uses are shown above in gifts suited to either men or women.

Sweets for Christmas



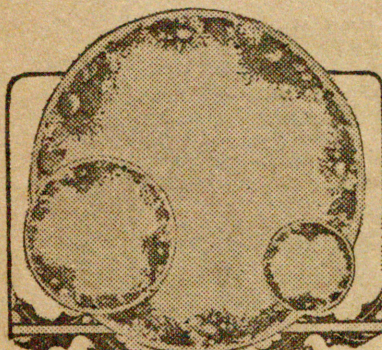
You cannot think of anyone who will not be delighted to receive a gift like that illustrated here. It is a half-dozen glasses filled with jelly, preserves and marmalade, very attractively arranged in a wicker basket. The tin covers of the glasses are lacquered with black lacquer and a white gummed letter is placed in the center of each one. A spray of fruit or blossoms painted on the lid with sealing wax, together with the letter, tells the kind of jelly or preserves the glass contains, as apple, with a spray of apple blossoms and the letter "A," or currant with a cluster of currants and foliage and the letter "C." Sealing wax in several colors simulates shirred ribbon on the center glass which contains marmalade.

Christmas Candles



This year's candle shades made of gay silks or of crepe paper are shown in such variety that every one may be pleased. Sparkling silver tinsel strays over some of them, adding a holiday glitter to the pretty colors through which the light gleams. A shade decorated in this way is shown at the right of the two pictured. At the left a foundation of plain paper is covered with ruffles of crepe paper in two alternating colors, in this case white and green, and has daisies made of paper set about it.

Oil Cloth Table Sets



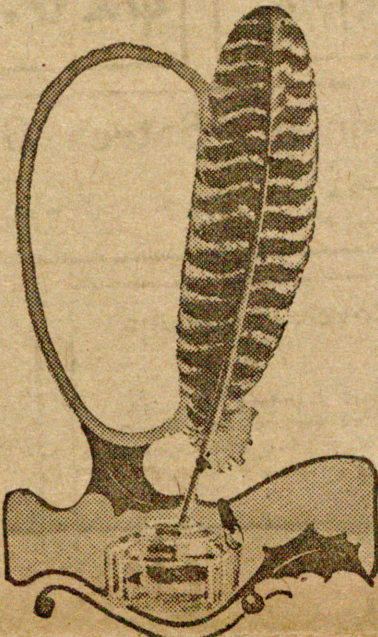
No housewife will fail to enjoy the new table sets of oilcloth with their cheerful borders of gay flowers and fruits. They are much handsomer than the stenciled pieces and many women use them for the dinner as well as the breakfast table. These sets consist of a centerpiece, plate doilies and smaller doilies. The fruits and flowers in the set pictured are in their natural colors and the oilcloth in a deep cream color.

Fadeless Flowers



Flowers made of petals cut from paper tape and coated with colored sealing wax, are among the novelties that add to the cheerfulness of home and Christmas this year. A cluster of them in several different colors, in a vase that is also coated with the wax, makes a very pleasing bouquet for the living room or dining table. The colored wax is a substitute for paint and a small alcohol flame becomes the brush for making the fadeless blossoms.

A Decorative Pen



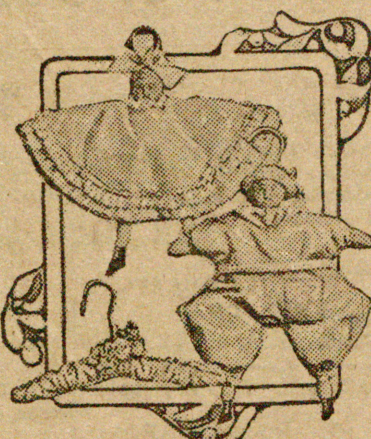
For the writing desk or as a companion piece to the guest book, a pen with a feather quill for a handle makes a beautiful gift. Natural feathers are as marvelous and beautiful in their markings as flowers and those in neutral colors can be tinted if one wishes to brighten them. Many kinds of feathers, including those of the ostrich, are used for these decorative pens and they make a gift suited to every grown-up.

Santa Remembers Baby



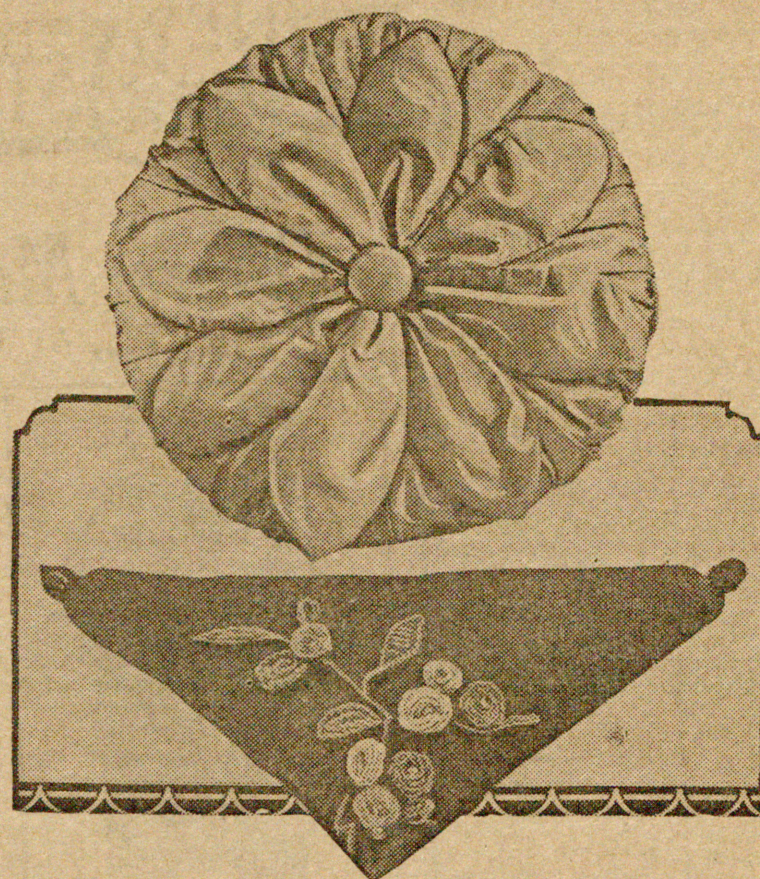
Santa Claus never forgets the babies and each year presents their little belongings made in new and pretty ways. This year "nightingales" and bonnets seem even better than their predecessors. A set to match is shown above, made of fine flannel and trimmed with narrow satin ribbon gathered along one edge and feather-stitched down. A frill of narrow lace finishes the cap.

For Little Garments



Hangers for wee garments make a lovely gift for young children, especially when they look like dolls. Here two are dressed up to represent a girl and a boy doll and a third is simply covered with ribbon and decorated with ribbon flowers. Little celluloid doll heads, wide and narrow satin ribbon and wire hangers with a little ingenious sewing are all that is needed for the doll hangers.

Pretty Things that are made at Home



Make Good Christmas Gifts.

EVERYONE loves a comfortable and pretty sofa pillow, and the shops are showing them in many attractive shapes and colors. The styles change in them, as in other things, and it is worth while to note those that are popular just now, because they are the pillows that will be used for holiday gifts, and many a pillow will be made between now and Christmas.

In shapes, the round pillow leads in popularity, followed by the square pillow and the roll pillow. There are some oval models and an occasional odd shape, like the small triangular pillow shown in the picture. Taffeta is the favored material for coverings, both in plain and changeable weaves. Brocade silk, in which a metallic figure appears, on a silk ground, is used for the sides of round and oblong pillows, having a puff of velvet, matching the silk in color, around the edges. Rose and gold brocade with rose velvet, and black and gold, with black velvet, make the handsomest of these pillows, but other colors are used.

Black satine is substituted for satin in square pillows, bound with black and gold, flat braid and decorated with applique flowers, cut from gay colored velvets. The flowers are outlined with small black and gold cord. In the small pillow pictured pine needles are used for stuffing, and yarn flowers, in bright colors, for decoration.

Corded taffeta is the favorite pillow covering and the cords are inserted in varied ways. The taffeta is gathered at the center of the pillow and a big, flat silk-covered button mold conceals the gathering, on round and square pillows. A round pillow, as pictured, is covered with plain blue taffeta, and a huge daisy, made of blue taffeta and having its petals lined with yellow taffeta is posed on it.

There are, of course, dainty boudoir pillows with slips made of fine cotton fabrics and trimmed with embroidery and wash laces. These pillows are small and are covered with silk.

DIGNIFIED MILLINERY WITH DEFINITE LINES



Hats With Definite Lines.

IT IS hard to generalize about hats, since they are so endlessly varied. It appears that designers have aspirations that no two of their brainchildren shall be alike; but they have no objection to certain family resemblances in them. In the group of four hats illustrated, we discover models that good taste and propriety dictate may be worn by matrons—older women, who have passed by the era of romantic millinery and reached that of brilliant and spirited headwear. The hats pictured are both brilliant and spirited, yet they are all in black or quiet shades of color.

A little study of these models reveals that they have definite lines, which the mode sponsors, along with a much more numerous family of hats that are vague and soft in outline. These are becoming to nearly everyone, but not always the best choice for the matron, who finds more vivacity in shapes, like the tricorn or Napoleon, or in the several styles in turbans. The Russian turban, at the top of the group, is brimming over with style, and is a special dispensation of this season for the benefit of matronly wearers. It is made of black velvet, and has a brilliant rhinestone ornament dangling from its pointed

front. Glycerined ostrich plumes spring up about the brim edge and droop over it. There seems to be no room for improvement in this design.

Silver cloth and metallic silks have an unassailable prestige in the season's modes and silver tissue drapes the square crown of the hat at the left. The brim of black velvet shows itself clever enough for such fine company by being gracefully uneven in width and notched at the front. A spray of ostrich plumes springs from the right side.

A very new turban of sand colored duvetyne has jet sequins set above its brim and contrives a crown that suggests the youthful tam. A wreath of monkey fur redeems this bit of frivolity. The black hat at the bottom of the group, ought by virtue of its name, to lead the rest. It is a Napoleon shape, covered with velvet and decorated with beads. These beads are of wood, as large as small peas, and are put on in loops. The trimming is wrapped by ornaments at each side.

Julia Bottomley

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DIAMOND HAS MANY VIRTUES

But According to Superstition the Gem Must Be a Gift to Person Who Wears It.

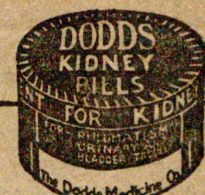
According to superstition (and to fact, also), the owner of a diamond is lucky, indeed. The diamond should be worn upon the left side, for it is of greater virtue there, for the strength of its growing is toward the North, that is the left side of the world, and the left part of a man when he turneth his face toward the East. He who carries a diamond will have strength and manhood; it will keep him from harm, especially from broken limbs. It will give him victory over all his enemies if his cause is righteous. It will keep him from strife and riots, and is a talisman against enchantments. In fact, if an enchanter tries to work a spell upon the possessor of a diamond he will find it will work upon himself instead. No wild beast will attack the diamond owner. It heals all manner of mental troubles. If poison be brought near it, the diamond will become moist and sweat. In order to be of the greatest virtue, the diamond must be given freely instead of being bought.

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An Anglo-Indian doctor instructed a native who was nursing one of the doctor's patients to keep a written record of the patient's symptoms.

The doctor, on his next visit, found the patient dead, but the written chart was immediately forthcoming. It read as follows:

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EAGLE EASILY KING IN AIR

Has No Trouble in Distancing Airplane Traveling at Speed of Sixty Miles an Hour.

The eagle, according to aeronautists, is not merely the king of birds, but in flying qualities the swiftest of all birds. A French "flier" from the French naval station at Salonica in February, 1916, had a match with an eagle near Mount Olympus. The eagle competed of his own free will. "I was followed by the eagle," writes Commander Larowy, "at a distance of about 100 feet. Our machine was making her full measure of 60 nautical miles an hour. In comparison with us the bird seemed so perfectly at a standstill that I was able to photograph it with an exposure of a half second, as the sky was cloudy, and the plane gave an absolutely neat reproduction. For two minutes the bird practically did not move its wings, and seemed to glide, except every ten or twelve seconds, when it made a very slight and careless sort of rowing motion as if to keep fit. When the bird abandoned all thought of attacking its strange rival it went full speed ahead, and covering much more than 60 miles an hour soon disappeared."

His Title Clear.

A Pennsylvania lawyer was once arguing a case on behalf of a Hungarian and had displayed great knowledge of Hungary and its people.

"Come, come," said the judge at last, "you know you cannot make yourself out to be a Hungarian."

"Perhaps not," said the lawyer, "but I have made a great deal of money out of Hungarians in my time."

"In that case," suggested the judge, "suppose we call you a Hungarian by extraction."

"Movies" and Eye Strain.

One potent cause of eye strain in movie theaters, according to investigators in England, is peculiar to the front seats, especially popular with children, where the eye must be uncomfortably uplifted to see the screen. It is recommended that the visual angle to the top of the screen should not be more than 35 degrees, and the angle to the screen's side also should be limited.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Why should you follow a crooked path?

Often a cowpath has been allowed to become a village street, and as the village expanded, tradition has made the winding way an expression of a cow's will.

Habit is always forging chains to enslave us, so that what has been found bearable by the fathers is accepted by the sons.

Who cannot recall the coffee-pot Mother put on the stove early in the morning, warning us not to let it boil over?

As children, we were not permitted to drink tea or coffee, because it would stunt our growth or make us nervous and irritable. When older, however, we craved a hot drink with meals, and custom gave us our tea or coffee.

Finally upon the instructions of the doctor, Mother gave up her tea and coffee. But that meant nothing in our young lives. Our vitality was then strong enough to throw off any ill effects.

But our time came, and we learned by experience that we could not drink tea or coffee. When we had it for breakfast it put our nerves on edge. When we drank it at the evening meal, we tossed about in wakefulness most of the night.

And then we found Postum, a pure cereal beverage, free from the harmful drug, caffeine, in tea and coffee. We liked the rich, satisfying flavor of Postum—and also the better health which resulted. And, too, we were surprised to find how many of our neighbors had made the same discovery—had learned the value of "health first."

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Postum for Health "There's a Reason"

WASHINGTON SIDELIGHTS

Now Sherman Says Alaska's All Right



WASHINGTON.—What's the matter with Alaska? "Inadequate and costly transportation," says Dan A. Sutherland, the Alaska delegate in congress.

"Too much red tape," says the Interior department, which would take over the administrative functions of all other departments pertaining to Alaska.

"Absentee government landlordism, divided departmental control, and hampered restrictions of development of natural resources," says Representative Curry, chairman of the house committee on territories, who is pressing for legislation to place all Alaska resources at the disposition of a resident development board.

President Harding and his cabinet have devoted several sessions to discussion of the Alaska problem. The house committee has held extensive hearings on the Curry bill.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace dispatched E. A. Sherman, associate forester, to Alaska, early last summer to investigate the alleged retrogression of the territory. Mr. Sherman has just returned and submitted an elaborate report, declaring that Alaska is suffering from nothing more than its share of the world-wide hard times. All the industries of the territory, he reports, are doing as well as if not better than the same industries elsewhere.

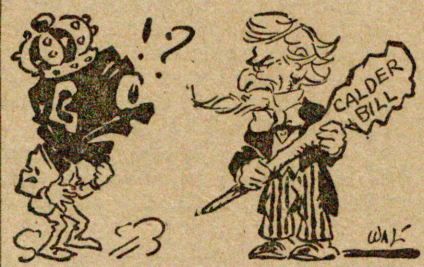
"In the face of such a showing," the Sherman report concludes, "one marvels more and more at the origin of this report that Alaska is on the downward grade. I would like to know the true inwardness of that idea. The growth of our northland is now a steady growth, in which the resident Alaskan, and not the promoter or underwriter, is being the chief beneficiary. That seems to me to be most desirable."

For Federal Control of Coal Mining

COINCIDENTLY with the failure to reach an agreement for a miners' wage scale to supplant the national agreement, which expires next March, two far-reaching bills concerning the coal industry were introduced in the senate by Senator Kenyon of Iowa, chairman of the committee on education and labor, which has been investigating conditions in West Virginia. The failure was announced after a four-hour discussion at the White House, at which were present the President, Secretaries Hoover and Davis and President Lewis and other officials of the United Mine Workers of America.

One of the Kenyon measures imposes heavy penalties for profiteering in coal. The other is a revision of the original Calder bill, giving broad powers to the President, the federal trade commission, the geological survey and the interstate commerce commission.

The Calder bill, as revised by Mr. Kenyon, provides that whenever the federal trade commission shall determine that an emergency exists "which seems likely to produce a shortage or bring about unusual, unwarranted or unreasonable coal prices and be detrimental to the public health," the President shall be empowered to fix maximum coal prices and dealers' commissions and margins.



The President also is authorized under such circumstances to deal in coal and to control its production and distribution. The President may go so far as to take over the operation of coal mines.

The companion bill provides a penalty of not less than \$100 nor more than \$10,000 for the first offense of a coal operator or dealer convicted of violation of the law, and for each succeeding offense a fine of not less than \$1,000 and imprisonment for not less than 90 days nor more than five years.

In defining what shall be considered profiteering, the bill specifies margins of profit for coal operators and dealers ranging from 10 to 40 cents per ton, according to the amount of business done. Margins are provided not only for individual sales, but also in the case of aggregate sales covering a year's period.

Plans of National Guard Organization



PLANS for organization of the National Guard as a "thoroughly consolidated and well-developed component" of the United States army have been announced by the War department. The ultimate peace strength in 1924 of the National Guard, according to the plan, will be 450,000 men, organized into 18 infantry divisions, distributed among the states. The complete designation of the National Guard infantry divisions will be as follows:

Division, State—
26—Massachusetts.
27—New York.
28—Pennsylvania.
29—Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia.
30—Georgia, Tennessee, South Carolina, North Carolina.
32—Michigan, Wisconsin.

33—Illinois.
34—Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota.
35—Nebraska, Missouri, Kansas.
36—Texas.
37—Ohio.
38—Indiana, West Virginia, Kentucky.
39—Alabama, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana.
40—California, Utah, Nevada.
41—Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Oregon, Washington.
42—Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Connecticut, Rhode Island.
43—New York, New Jersey, Delaware.
44—Colorado, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona.

The present organization plan provides that the National Guard shall comprise a stated ratio of troops of every branch, including all calibers of heavy and anti-aircraft artillery, tanks, airplanes, balloons, and motorized units. Each has a permanent mission of its own, and is so organized that in war all make take their places in the field without any delay or confusion.

To date, a force of 126,000 officers and men is enrolled, out of 215,397 allotted for organization on or about June 30, 1922.

Daugherty's Prison Reform Project

PRISON reform that will remold bad characters into good ones to-day stands out as one of the big things the administration must do to improve citizenship, Attorney General Daugherty declares, discussing a new system he has evolved for handling federal prisoners. The plan calls for the establishment of a new vocational training plant, where prisoners can be taught trades and "otherwise rebuilt" so they may become useful citizens after their terms expire. There are about 500 young first-termers in federal prisons who would be eligible for transfer.

The attorney general will ask congress to authorize him to take over one of the big cantonments and reconvert it into an educational institution, with industrial features somewhat along the lines of existing reform schools.

"What many of these prisoners need more than anything else is a chance to make good," said Mr. Daugherty.

"I maintain that citizenship can be made better by some system that will reconstruct these prisoners, restore their self-respect and equip them to face the world with some earning power at the end of their terms. 'I can walk into any prison in the



United States and pick out ten men I would willingly trust. That applies to any prison anywhere. Put those men on their honor, let them know that there is some one who has an interest in them and they will make good."

Mr. Daugherty's psychology has been tested and found 100 per cent. He cited his experiences with prisoners in reform institutions in Ohio and elsewhere. He has aided in the establishment and operation of some of these reform schools. He has watched the development of the inmates into useful citizens. He has found them in later years, law-abiding, honest with their fellow men, and in some instances filling conspicuous roles as leaders in civic undertakings for community betterment.

BOY SCOUTS

(Conducted by National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.)

SCOUT WORK AT PUEBLO.

If ever scouts had an opportunity to test out their power to live up to their motto "Be prepared," it was during the terrible period of the Pueblo flood last summer, when practically every scout and scoutleader within the district was on duty night and day in the service of the stricken community. As soon as it was clear that the flood was threatening to be a serious matter, Scout Executive Alverson got as many older scouts and scoutmasters as he could muster together, and plans for immediate action were made. In addition to many phenomenal feats of life-saving the boys served as messengers, established wireless booths in canteens and supply stations, even in the morgue itself; built emergency bridges and worked on the temporary lorries; opened their own headquarters for many refugees, found homes for others, did guard duty, distributed safe drinking water, shoveled mud, delivered posters and proclamations for the board of health. Indeed, there was almost no end to the work the valiant lads were willing and able to tackle in the face of the disaster.

On the east side the scouts took complete charge of the Western Union stations, a dangerous service, as a foot-bridge was the only means of getting across the river for several days. The telegrams were carried across the bridge by scouts and the number of messages carried was an enormous one, as can well be imagined.

Most of the rescue work on the part of scouts was done in the lowest portions of the city, where the risk was greatest and many a spectacular tale of life-saving is recorded. Scoutmaster Cary met his death in attempting to save the lives of two women in a floating house, his boat being violently dashed against a steel lamp-post. The boys themselves were in constant danger, but no one of them ever turned back from the task in hand, from any considerations of personal safety or well-being. Though many weeks have passed since the disaster, Pueblo is still talking about her scouts and their amazing and heroic service in the terrible hour.

SCOUTING IN SCHOOLS.

It has long been a matter of common knowledge that scouting can and does work hand in hand with our public schools, but it is perhaps less well known in how many of the best private schools of the country, the movement is established and operating successfully to the mutual betterment of both the school and scouting.

Schools which foster scouting among the pupils in their midst are Greenwich academy, Peattie, Blair, Bordentown Military Institute, Perkiomen, etc. The president of one of the largest military academies in the East recently made the following interesting statement:

"We always have sixty and sometimes more students of the school who have come to use from boy scout organizations throughout the country. We find them to be our best boys, and we have always tried to encourage them to keep their affiliations with their home organizations. There always has been a strong pressure on the part of these boys to have an organization here. Therefore, with the opening of the September term, I wish to organize a thorough-going unit. Amongst our teachers there are always several who have been scoutmasters, and we wish to avail ourselves of their training, making them leaders of the movement here. This organization would be an entity separate from our regular military organization, and in relations to the school would be somewhat like our fraternities, Y. M. C. A.'s, etc. We would give them quarters and stimulate them by rewards, etc."

SCOUTS IN CONSTANTINOPLE.

Scouting in Robert college is a true American brand, even if it is away over across the seas, in a strange and ancient city. Three troops, comprising 45 scouts, have been organized in the college this year, under the direction of Mr. Radcliff, who is an Eagle scout and has served as an assistant scoutmaster in Yonkers, N. Y. Earl Pritchard, the physical director of the college, is acting as scout commissioner. Three advanced scouts are serving as assistant scoutmasters. The college is an American institution, having its charter from the state of New York. Scouting is conducted precisely as in the United States, with the single exception that every boy has to give the history of his own flag, whether it be Greek, Armenian, Bulgarian, Turkish or what not.

SCOUTS ASSIST MOTORISTS.

Grand Rapids scouts erected several booths at points through which motor tourists pass daily in great numbers on their way to nearby resorts. The boys had themselves ready to give information or any other required service. They also gave out several pieces of literature, one, a booklet containing the local traffic laws and a welcome to the city in the name of the Grand Rapids Safety council; one, a booklet giving a map of the streets and main thoroughfares.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

MARY GRAHAM BONNER

NANCY'S STORY

"Yes, I know," said Daddy, "I promised Nancy I would tell her about the dolls I saw in the Old Natural History Museum in Washington the other day."

"I hope, Daddy," said Nick, "you found time to do a little business too, for you certainly found time to see things to tell us about."

"Yes," laughed Daddy, "I managed to squeeze in a little time for business too, but there were many things I knew I'd want to tell you about and so I saw all of them I could."

"There were many old and wonderful costumes, and I could just picture to myself how Nancy would love dressing up in the very quaint and very old dresses and hats and shawls and capes."

"Figures wore these wonderful costumes and then there were some costumes which were just shown off without being on figures. They had dresses such as people would wear to balls and receptions or to business or for every day during the different years when the styles were different, just as the styles change now all the time."

"Of course, Nick, you and I aren't supposed to know so much about this. But Nancy does! For I heard her



"Looked Very Fine."

say the other day that she wanted to own some special kind of a tam because it was fashionable."

"Oh Daddy," said Nancy, "you shouldn't listen to such things!"

"Well," said Daddy, "I'm sure the new tam will be very becoming as I've also heard you're going to have it."

"But to return to the dresses and costumes I want to tell you about. 'Not only did they show dresses and costumes and suits such as were worn in the days of our grandmothers and great grandmothers and great, great grandmothers and grandfathers, but they had dolls which belonged to the people long ago."

"Fancy that! There were dolls which belonged to the great-granddaughter of Major Bradford, who was an aide-de-camp to Washington."

"There were dolls and toys which belonged to children at different periods of time, years ago."

"Some of the dolls had blue eyes, and some had brown eyes. Many of them wore real lace and looked very fine and wonderful."

"There were some toys too, and there were some sets of dolls' china which didn't look unlike the china Nancy owns."

"There were many dolls and toys which belonged to children in 1870. 'So that any little girl whoever goes to Washington should go and see the dolls which used to be played with many years ago."

"But Nick, I have something to tell you, too, this evening. There are boats of all kinds in this building too, and automobiles."

Boats just like the very first boats of all are there, and every kind of a boat made since is there too."

"An automobile like the first automobile is in this building and ones which look like the different kinds of automobiles that there have been since."

"So any boy who goes to Washington would be much interested in the boats and in the automobiles and shouldn't miss going into the Old Museum."

"Nancy might like to see the lovely laces and the beautiful bags, the dresses, and the dolls, but there is plenty for a boy to see there too."

"Some time we'll have to go and see them," said Nancy.

"I'll add that to my list," said Nick. "And when I start traveling I'll never be able to stop for I have so much I want to see!"

"So have most of us," said Daddy, "but in the meantime the best thing to do is to hear of interesting places we can't see."

"And even though we may never travel much there are so many things about us to see too, and our friends the birds and the animals about are always doing new and interesting tricks for us to watch and enjoy!"

The Cause of the Change.

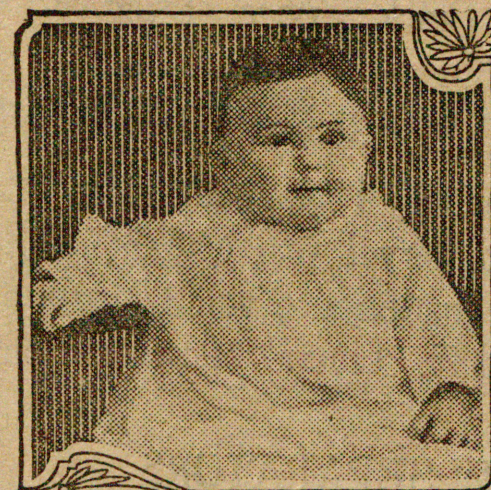
"Did Senator Clapper always love the people as much as he does now?" "Oh no; not till he got the notion that he was the people."

Boudoir Badinage.

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Marie—Don't take such a hopeless view of your case, dear.

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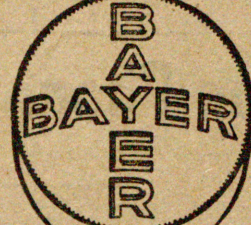
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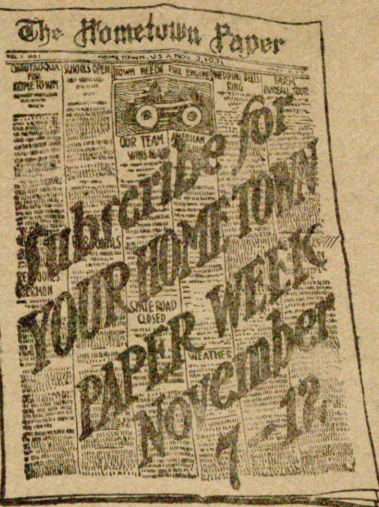
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THE STORY OF HOME TOWN PAPER WEEK

By M. V. ATWOOD.

Once upon a time a country editor had a great idea. This is not the first great idea which has been evolved in a country print-shop, but most of these ideas in the past have been of benefit to some one other than the editor. But the idea was to benefit editor as well as the whole community and nation.

This was the idea: Why not have a "home paper week?" We have had every kind of a "week" from soap to electric cleaners.

Taken together, argued the editor, the country newspapers are quite the most important in the nation, even if judged by numbers; the ten or fifteen thousand of them make the four hundred big city papers and magazines seem inconsiderable, indeed.

The reason most folks do not realize the importance of the country newspaper is because they think of them individually instead of collectively; even the Atlantic ocean doesn't look very impressive when you view it merely as a cupful of water scooped up at the beach.

So this country editor began to talk about the idea and to write letters to any one who he thought might be interested. But like all great ideas, it took a long time for it to grow.

Finally a company which has done much to teach country publishers the value of system and of knowledge of costs took it up, as did also the National Editorial Association; then the state colleges of agriculture saw its possibilities because of the effect on community life; another great concern which furnishes thousands of country papers with syndicate news and features became interested; and, of course, the publishers' trade journals fell into line.

Thus a great chain of interest in "Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week" has been stretched across the country, each of the thousands of country papers, of which this paper is one, a link in the chain.

November 7th to 12th are the dates set for "Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week," and all who believe in the home town paper, in its possibilities for helpfulness, for creating community solidarity, for the cherishing of the homely and sacred things of the country, are being asked to help—to help, not because the country editor needs charity, but because the country newspaper is a great service agency, dignified, stable, worthy of every cent which the community invests to make it possible.

So you are asked to help make "Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week" the big success it is going to be. If you do not now take your home paper, don't delay subscribing later than the week of November 7-12.

HOME TOWN PAPER WEEK.

People of the United States will be afforded an opportunity during the week of November 7th to 12th to express in concrete form their gratitude to those men and women, who through sunshine and rain, prosperity and adversity, persistently and consistently sing the song of the home town. The time long since passed when newspapers, whether daily or weekly, can subsist on the "taking it for granted" spirit of its patrons and well wishers. Costs of producing newspapers today have not decreased in anything like the proportion experienced in other lines and figures quoted recently by daily and weekly newspapers through the country have given the public a glimpse into the expense incidental to conducting the home paper.

To the newspaper men and women of each community has fallen the task of presenting the current events of a fast-moving world in accordance with the modern idea, more or less extravagant, and keeping a smiling countenance and a courageous heart when others are prone to talk "hard times." Their loyalty to the state and their community has undergone a severe test but they met it with optimism and only a little reflection is required to show how much worse conditions might have been before the turn in the road was reached, had they pursued a different course.

Advertisers had to keep advertising whether they could pay promptly or not and business had to be kept going for the general good. The publishers and editors did their part and the second week in November is proclaimed a time when those who benefited by this policy can express it in terms of support that will insure the future of the small town paper, the backbone of every community that has the semblance of pride in itself and its neighbors.—St. Louis City Argus-Leader.



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Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cappel entertained relatives at dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Cappel underwent an operation at the Silver Cross hospital, Monday morning.

Mrs. August Pfeiffer and Mrs. Harry Peterson are at the St. Joseph hospital, Joliet.

Mrs. Anton Benson, who underwent an operation at Silver Cross hospital, is improving nicely.

A Benefit Picture Show will be given at Hatch hall, Nov. 12th, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the St. John Evangelical church.

The Water Spider.

A spider that lives under water builds a nest of silk among weeds in ponds and ditches, and fills the nest with air. In that strange house it lives and lays its eggs. In autumn it makes another nest, seals itself inside and sleeps until spring.

Queer Human Ways.

A man is presented to a girl and then if all goes well the girl is given away to the man.



COMMUNITY WORK OF RED CROSS

Chapters Show Splendid Work for Soldiers and in Health Lines.

All over Illinois there is an increased interest manifest in the many activities of the American Red Cross. The membership of 293,433 persons in the 126 Chapters shows the far-reaching enthusiasm and the scope of the many activities which comprise the present Red Cross program.

Every part of the state is supporting the work for ex-service men, with five U. S. P. H. S. hospitals caring for ex-service men. This medical social service work is one of the principal activities in each of these hospitals, not only providing recreation, but in assisting the men to adjust their various difficulties.

There have been 10,400 ex-service men served by local Red Cross Chapters during the past year. In addition, 1,521 disabled men still in service have been helped in various ways. World war veterans and their families to the number of 105,522 have been served by Chapters, which have expended \$410,000 in this work. Throughout the nation \$10,000,000 is being spent annually by the Red Cross in helping ex-service men and their families.

Also 63,525 patients in hospitals at army camps and naval stations have been visited by Red Cross workers this year. In addition 10,138 enlisted men have been served by Chapters.

Important as is the work for soldiers and their families, the health program of the Red Cross is filling an equal need in every community where it has been developed. There are 2,542 nurses enrolled with the Red Cross in Illinois. These nurses are qualified according to Red Cross standards for service in war and emergency.

Forty-two Chapters are employing public health nurses for community work. During the past year 66 Red Cross public health nurses have been employed by various Chapters in the state. Their work has been in the schools, in teaching children health and sanitation, as well as reaching the homes of the community through personal visits.

Women in the state have shown great interest in the classes in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick, which have been carried on in connection with the work of Red Cross Chapters. During the past year 2,541 persons have received certificates in the 319 classes which have been conducted.

The strong health program of the Red Cross, in addition to Home Nursing instructions, include classes in First Aid, Nutrition, and Life-Saving. Much of this work is along preventive lines and designed to prevent accidents or spread of contagion. There have been 3,533 children enrolled in the 155 Nutrition classes in connection with the work of the schools this past year.

In addition to this work in Nutrition, 448 women have completed courses in Food Selection. As the majority of these women were home makers, approximately that many families have received suggestions and instruction regarding food facts and correct diet. There are 752 members of the Red Cross Life-Saving Corps in Illinois. Each of these persons have passed the examination and is trained in methods of resuscitating victims of drowning.

Also 84 certificates have been issued in the First Aid classes. These classes have been found of great value, not only in instructing men and women in the proper course to pursue in cases of emergency, but in the prevention of accident.

Work of the Junior Red Cross among the 850 Auxiliaries has been carried on by its membership of 210,123 children. They have aided in promoting health programs through the schools, visited hospitals, and helped to provide comforts and entertainment for disabled soldiers, as well as unfortunate children at home and abroad.

To aid in carrying out these many activities, and to increase the community usefulness of the local Red Cross Chapters, an opportunity will be given for renewing membership in the Red Cross during the Fifth Annual Roll Call. This opens on Armistice Day, November 11, and continues through Thanksgiving. Every membership dollar is an investment in community welfare and in relief activities, locally, nationally and internationally.

Mokena

Hilmer Johnson, well known Mokena boy, is acting as temporary foreman at Ottawa on the Rock Island. He has twenty-six men working for him. His many friends here are pleased to hear of his promotion.

Wm. Guernsey has opened a battery repairing shop in the Hentsch & Hellmuth garae. He has had a large number of jobs the past week for battery work. He is doing good work and at prices that are far below city prices, and in addition gives prompt service. This news service is much appreciated by local auto owners, as well as by others from adjacent territory.

A number from here attended a dance at Tinley Park Saturday night.

John J. Grogan, who opened up a cash and carry store in the former Groth building a few months ago, has been so successful in his venture that his rapidly growing business has outgrown his cramped quarters, and as a result a partition separating the store from the living apartments has been removed and the dining room added to the store, thus enlarging the store space considerably. The postoffice has been moved from the front part of the store to the rear. Mr. Grogan is putting in a big line of groceries, and will add many new features. He is conducting a real up-to-date store, and his prices are as low as can be found anywhere on good merchandise.

The Mokena Home Improvement Club was entertained Thursday at the home of Mrs. Hall. The meeting was highly instructive and entertaining. Mrs. Hall had a paper on "Parliamentary Law," and Mrs. Kilbourne read a paper on "Health Measures For Old and Young," and also recited a poem dealing with education. Mrs. Kilbourne is advanced in years, and gave a remarkable paper for one of her age. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 16th, instead of the 24th, on account of Thanksgiving coming on that day. Mrs. Chas. Reynolds has been appointed chairman of the refreshment committee, and Mrs. Hall, chairman of the entertaining committee.

The annual Red Cross drive is now on, and all those who have enrolled as members of the Mokena chapter in other years are again urged to renew their enrollment this year on or before Nov. 11th, Armistice Day. Hand your dollar either to Mrs. Albert Braun, who is the secretary and treasurer for the Mokena chapter, or to Mrs. Chas. Reynolds, chairman. The Red Cross is doing much noble work among the sick and injured ex-service men, and as this is a very worthy cause, everyone is asked to subscribe freely toward it.

Herman Schweser, local fire marshal, is inspecting chimneys around town before the winter fires are started. Several chimneys are about to be condemned. "Safety First" is Marshall Schweser's motto.

Mrs. Florence Mahoney, who has been ill for a long time at the St. Joseph hospital, Joliet, was brought home last week. She is not improving as had been hoped for.

The Hallowe'en sprites were abroad Monday night in Mokena and did a little mischief. A company of about seventeen young fellows marched on the Dan Kohl premises bent on mischief when suddenly Carl Kohl shot off a shotgun in the air. The sprites were very badly frightened and made a desperate dash to get away. They ran down the railroad tracks and across adjoining fields in their hurry to get away.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cappel and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Yunker spent Sunday at the Edgar Cooper home in Orland.

The Sunday school class of Miss Ruth Niethammer held a surprise party in her honor at the home of Miss Cora McGovney, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eich and family, of Michigan, have moved into the Aschenbrenner residence, recently vacated by Frank Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stellwagen have been married 35 years, and in honor of the event a surprise party was held at their home by relatives and friends, Thursday evening.